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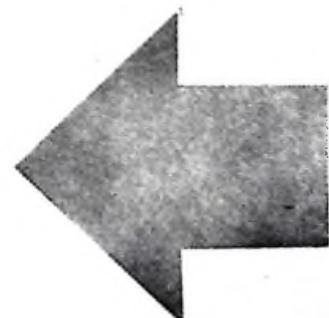
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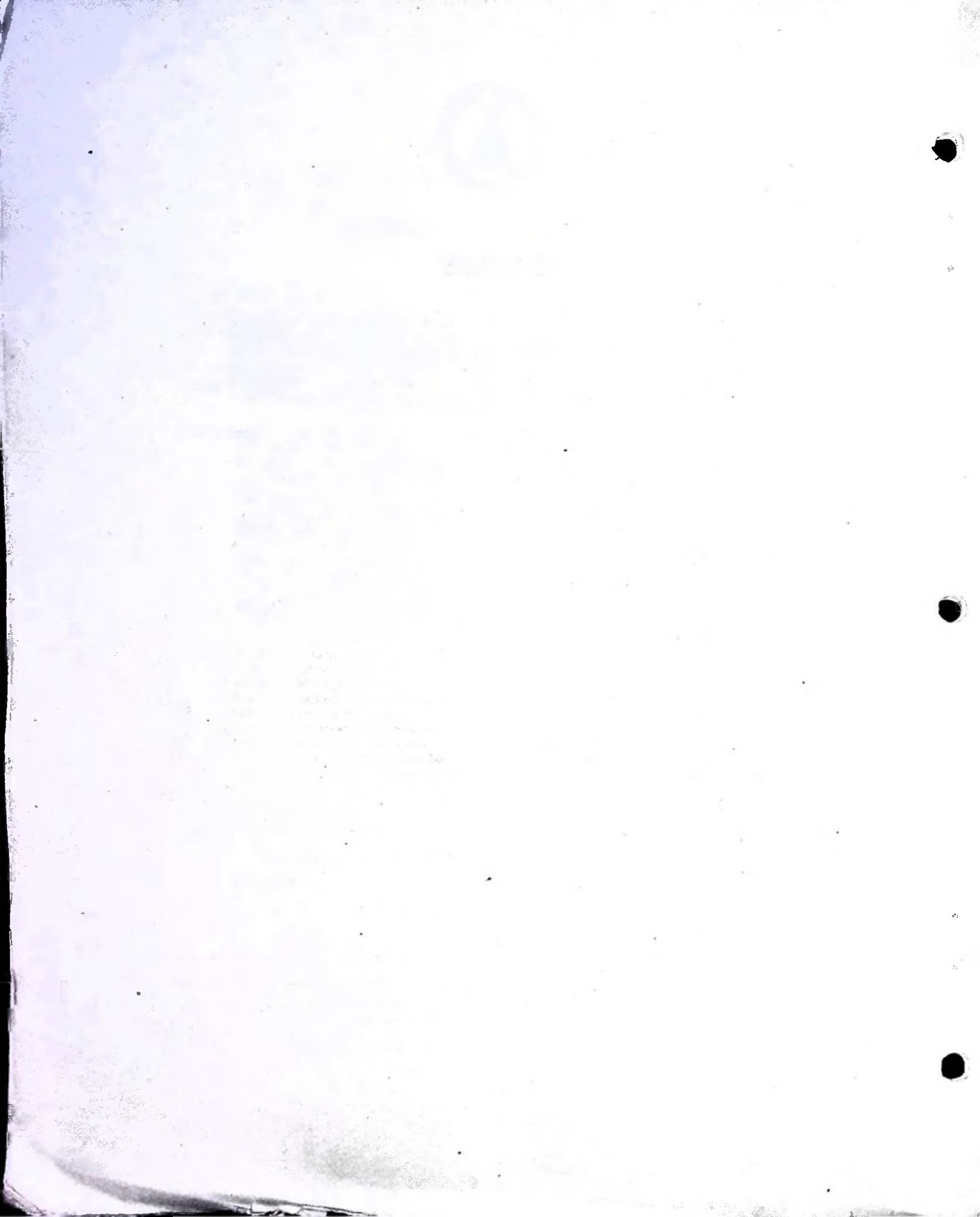
This report presents statistics on the number of inhabitants of the State, its counties, and minor civil divisions (townships, etc.). In addition, separate figures are also presented for urban places, wards of cities of 5,000 or more, and other areas of the State. These data are based upon tabulations from the Seventeenth Decennial Census of the population of the United States, its Territories, and possessions conducted as of April 1, 1950. Provision for the Seventeenth Decennial Census was made in the act providing for the Fifteenth and subsequent decennial censuses which was approved on June 18, 1929.

The major portion of the information compiled from the Census of Population of 1950 will appear in Volume I, *Number of Inhabitants*, and in Volume II, *Characteristics of the Population*. This report is a preprint of Chapter 31 (New Mexico) of Volume I, which is to present, in a single publication, statistics on the number of inhabitants for each State.

The materials presented here will also appear as Chapter A of Part 31 (New Mexico) of Volume II. Volume II will comprise a series of separately published parts, one for each State and a summary for the United States. The use of separate parts makes the basic materials on characteristics of the population for a given State available to the public in a single publication. Within the part for a State, Chapter A will recapitulate the statistics on the number and distribution of the population within a State; Chapter B will present statistics on the general characteristics of the population of the various political subdivisions of the State, such as counties, incorporated places, and the like; and Chapter C will present data on the detailed characteristics of the population of the larger areas within the State, such as cities of 100,000 inhabitants or more and standard metropolitan areas.

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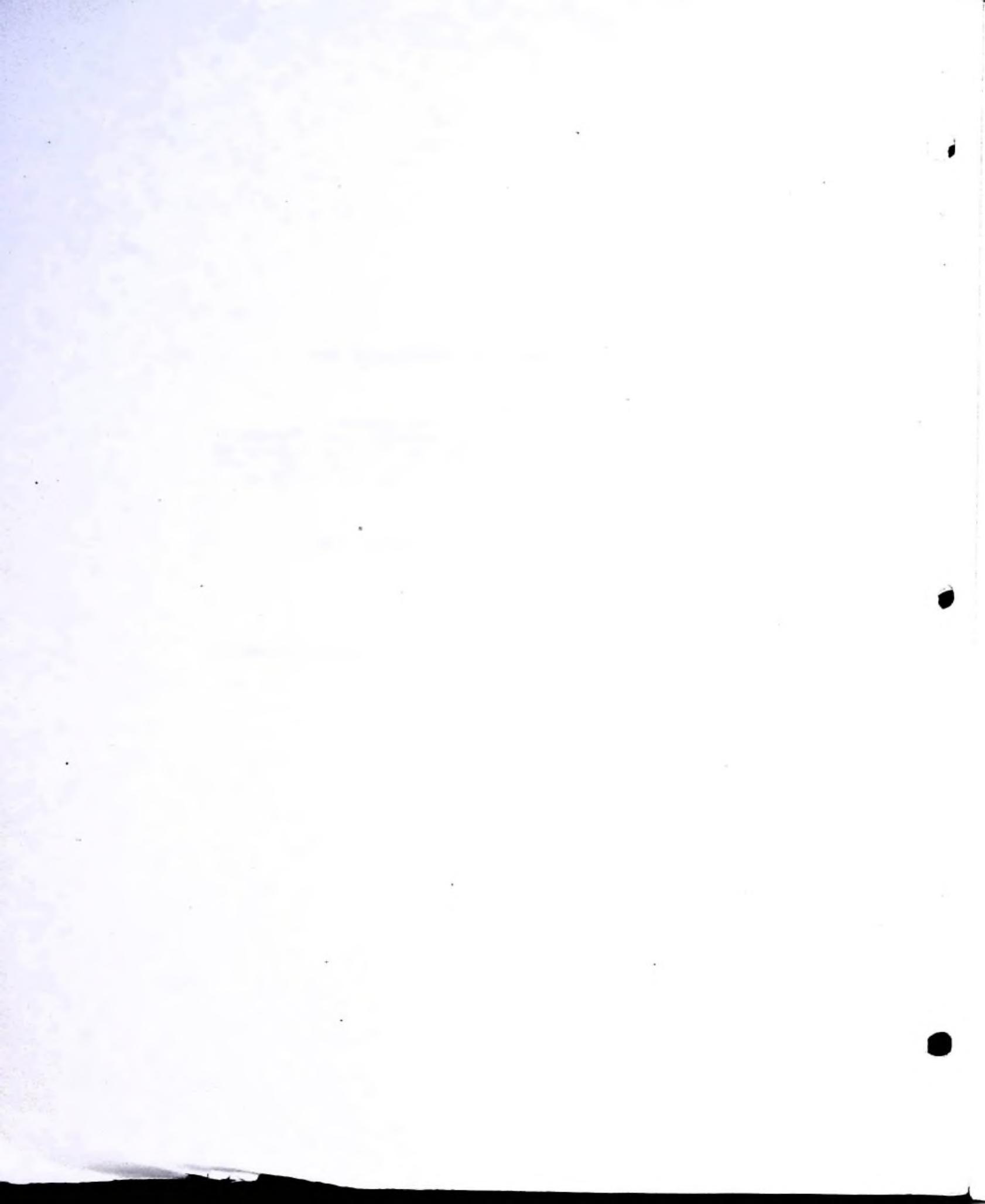
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## Number of Inhabitants

**The State.**—The Territory of New Mexico was organized in 1850 from the area now comprising the greater parts of the States of New Mexico and Arizona, together with small portions of Colorado and Nevada. The Territory was enlarged by the addition of the Gadsden Purchase in 1854 and reduced by the organization of Colorado Territory in 1861. With the organization of Arizona Territory in 1863, the area of New Mexico was reduced to substantially the present area of the State. New Mexico was admitted to the Union in 1912 as the forty-seventh State. Its population on April 1, 1950, according to the Seventeenth Decennial Census, was 681,187. The State has a land area of 121,511 square miles. In 1950 there was an average of 5.6 inhabitants per square mile as compared with an average of 4.4 in 1940. Among the States and the District of Columbia, New Mexico ranked fortieth in population and fourth in land area.

In 1870, the first year for which the population of the area of the present State is available, New Mexico had a population of 91,874 (table 1). In 1950, 80 years later, its population was more than seven times as large. The population of the State more than doubled between 1870 and 1900. During the first 50 years of the twentieth century, the population more than tripled, increasing from 195,310 to 681,187. The most rapid rate of growth came in the decade 1900 to 1910. The largest numerical increase took place in the decade 1940 to 1950, when the population of the State increased by 149,369, or 28.1 percent, over the 531,818 inhabitants enumerated in 1940.

**Usual place of residence.**—According to usual Census practice, which dates back to 1790, each person enumerated in the 1950 Census was counted as an inhabitant of his usual place of residence or usual place of abode, which is generally construed to mean the place where he lives and sleeps most of the time. This place is not necessarily the same as his legal residence, voting residence, or domicile, although, in the vast majority of cases, these different bases of classification would be identical.

In the application of this rule, persons were not always counted as residents of the places in which they happened to be found by the census enumerators. Persons in places where guests usually pay for quarters (hotels, etc.) were enumerated on the night of April 11, and those whose usual place of residence was elsewhere were allocated to their homes. Visitors found staying in private homes, however, were not ordinarily interviewed there. Information on persons away from their usual place of residence was obtained from other members of their families, landladies, etc. If an entire family was expected to be away during the whole period of the enumeration, information on it was obtained from neighbors. A matching process was used to eliminate duplicate reports for persons who reported for themselves while away and were also reported by their families at home.

Persons in the armed forces quartered on military installations were enumerated as residents of the States, counties, and minor civil divisions in which their installations were located. Members of their families were enumerated where they actually resided. In the 1950 Census, college students living away from home were considered residents of the communities in which they were

residing while attending college, rather than as persons temporarily absent from their parental homes as was the practice in 1940. In 1950 the crews of vessels of the American Merchant Marine in harbors of the United States were counted as part of the population of the ports in which their vessels were berthed on April 1, 1950. In 1940 such persons were treated as part of the population of the port from which the vessel operated. Inmates of institutions, who ordinarily live there for long periods of time, were counted as inhabitants of the place in which the institution was located; whereas patients in general hospitals, who ordinarily have short stays, were counted at, or allocated to, their homes. All persons without a usual place of residence were counted where they were enumerated.

**Urban and rural population.**—The 1950 urban population of New Mexico comprised 341,889 persons, or 50.2 percent of the population of the State (table 1). This population was living in the 29 urban places in the State. More than two-fifths of the urban population was living in the three cities of 25,000 inhabitants or more (table 2).

The rural population of New Mexico comprised 339,298 persons, or 49.8 percent of the population of the State (table 1). Of the rural population, 50,629 persons, or 14.9 percent, were living in the 21 incorporated places and the 11 unincorporated places of 1,000 to 2,500 inhabitants (table 2).

**Urban definition.**—Under the urban definition established for use in the 1950 Census, the urban population comprises all persons living in (a) places of 2,500 inhabitants or more incorporated as cities, boroughs, towns,<sup>1</sup> and villages; (b) the densely settled urban fringe, including both incorporated and unincorporated areas, around cities of 50,000 or more; and (c) unincorporated places of 2,500 inhabitants or more outside any urban fringe. The remaining population is classified as rural. According to the urban definition used in previous censuses, the urban population comprises all persons living in incorporated places of 2,500 inhabitants or more and areas (usually minor civil divisions) classified as urban under special rules relating to population size and density.

In both definitions, the most important component of the urban territory is the group of incorporated places having 2,500 inhabitants or more. A definition of urban territory restricted to such places, however, would exclude a number of equally large and densely settled places, merely because they were not incorporated places. Under the old definition, an effort was made to avoid some of the more obvious omissions by the inclusion of the places urban under special rules. Even with these rules, however, many large and closely built-up places were excluded from the urban territory. To improve the situation in the 1950 Census, the Bureau of the Census set up, in advance of enumeration, boundaries for urban-fringe areas around cities of 50,000 or more and for unincorporated places outside urban fringes. All the population residing in urban-fringe areas and in unincorporated places of 2,500 or more is classified as urban according to the 1950 definition. (Of course,

<sup>1</sup> Except in New England, New York, and Wisconsin, where "towns" are minor civil divisions of counties and are not necessarily densely settled centers like the towns in other States.

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the incorporated places of 2,500 or more are urban in their own right.) Consequently, the special rules of the old definition are no longer necessary.

There were no urban-fringe areas in New Mexico. According to the new urban definition, therefore, the 1950 urban population of New Mexico consisted of the 314,636 inhabitants of the 24 incorporated places of 2,500 inhabitants or more and the 27,253 persons living in the 5 specially delineated unincorporated places of 2,500 or more. Since there were no places urban under special rule in New Mexico according to the old urban definition, the first element comprised the urban population under the old definition. The population of the second element—27,253—represents the gain in the urban population of New Mexico which resulted from the change in definition.

Although the Bureau of the Census has employed other definitions in the course of its history, the statistics on the population by urban and rural residence for the years 1850 to 1940 are shown in accordance with the 1940 definition. The 1950 statistics are shown in accordance with both the new and old definitions.

**Trends of urban and rural population.**—Trends in the urban and rural population can be examined only on the basis of the old definition. On this basis, the urban population increased more than tenfold between 1900 and 1950, rising from 27,381 to 314,636 (table 1). The largest numerical increase as well as the most rapid rate of growth of the urban population during the 50-year period occurred in the decade 1940 to 1950, when the increase was 138,235, or 78.4 percent. All seven cities of 10,000 inhabitants or more shared in the growth of the urban population in the decade 1940 to 1950 (table 4). The rates of increase in these places ranged from 30.7 percent in Hobbs to 173.1 percent in Albuquerque. In 1900 the 2 cities of 5,000 inhabitants or more in the State (Albuquerque and Santa Fe) accounted for less than one-tenth of the population of the State; by 1950 more than two-fifths of the population of the State was living in the 17 places of 5,000 inhabitants or more (table 3). The proportion of the population of the State living in urban territory rose from 14.0 to 46.2 percent over the 50-year period.

The rural population of New Mexico rose from 167,929 in 1900 to 366,551 in 1950. The largest numerical increase and the largest rate of gain in the rural population occurred in the decade 1900 to 1910. The rural population increased by 11,134, or 3.1 percent, between 1940 and 1950. Both the amount and rate of gain for the decade were the smallest experienced since the decade 1860 to 1870, when the rural population declined somewhat. The proportion of the population of the State living in rural territory declined from 86.0 to 53.8 percent between 1900 and 1950.

**Counties.**—Los Alamos County was organized in 1949 from parts of Sandoval and Santa Fe Counties, bringing the number of counties in New Mexico to 32. These counties ranged in size from Harding with a population of 3,013 to Bernalillo with a population of 145,673. Seventeen of the thirty-one counties of 1940 increased in population between 1940 and 1950. Of these 17 counties, all but Hidalgo had had increases in the previous

decade. The largest numerical increase and most rapid rate of growth were experienced in Bernalillo County, which had an increase of 76,282, or more than its population in 1940.

**Minor civil divisions.**—To the primary political divisions into which counties are divided, the Bureau of the Census applies the general term "minor civil divisions." The minor civil divisions in New Mexico are called election precincts. (Los Alamos County is not divided into election precincts.) The incorporated cities, towns, and villages form subdivisions of the minor civil divisions in which they are located.

Table 6 shows statistics on the population of each county by minor civil divisions for the last three censuses. The population of the incorporated cities, towns, and villages and the unincorporated places is shown in *italics* under the population of the minor civil divisions in which they are located. When a place lies in two or more minor civil divisions, the population of the several parts is shown in table 6 in the appropriate minor civil division, and each part is designated by "part." Figures on the total population of such places are given in table 7. Unincorporated places are designated by "uninc." Changes between the 1940 Census and 1950 Census in the boundaries of the areas listed are shown in notes to table 6. For changes in boundaries prior to the 1940 Census, see reports of the Sixteenth Census (1940), *Population*, Vol. I, pp. 697-701, and reports of earlier censuses.

**Incorporated and unincorporated places.**—In 1950 there were 72 incorporated places (cities, towns, and villages) in New Mexico and 16 unincorporated places of 1,000 inhabitants or more. There were 362,044 persons living in the incorporated places, 47,408 of whom were in the 48 places with fewer than 2,500 inhabitants. Of the 43,809 persons in the unincorporated places, 16,556 were in the 11 places between 1,000 and 2,500 inhabitants. The incorporated places ranged in size from Grenville village with a population of 102 to Albuquerque city with a population of 96,815.

Political units recognized as incorporated places in the 1950 Census are those which are incorporated as cities, boroughs, towns, and villages, with the exception that towns are not recognized as incorporated places in the New England States, New York, and Wisconsin.

The Bureau of the Census has delineated boundaries for the thickly settled urban fringe around cities of 50,000 or more and has also delineated boundaries for unincorporated places of 1,000 or more which are densely settled population centers without corporate limits. Although there are unincorporated places within the urban fringe, it was not feasible to establish boundaries for such places and therefore they are not identified as separate places.

The count of urban places in the 1950 Census comprises all incorporated places of 2,500 or more regardless of location and unincorporated places of 2,500 or more which are located outside the urban-fringe areas. Incorporated places of less than 2,500 which lie in the urban fringe are not recognized as urban places.

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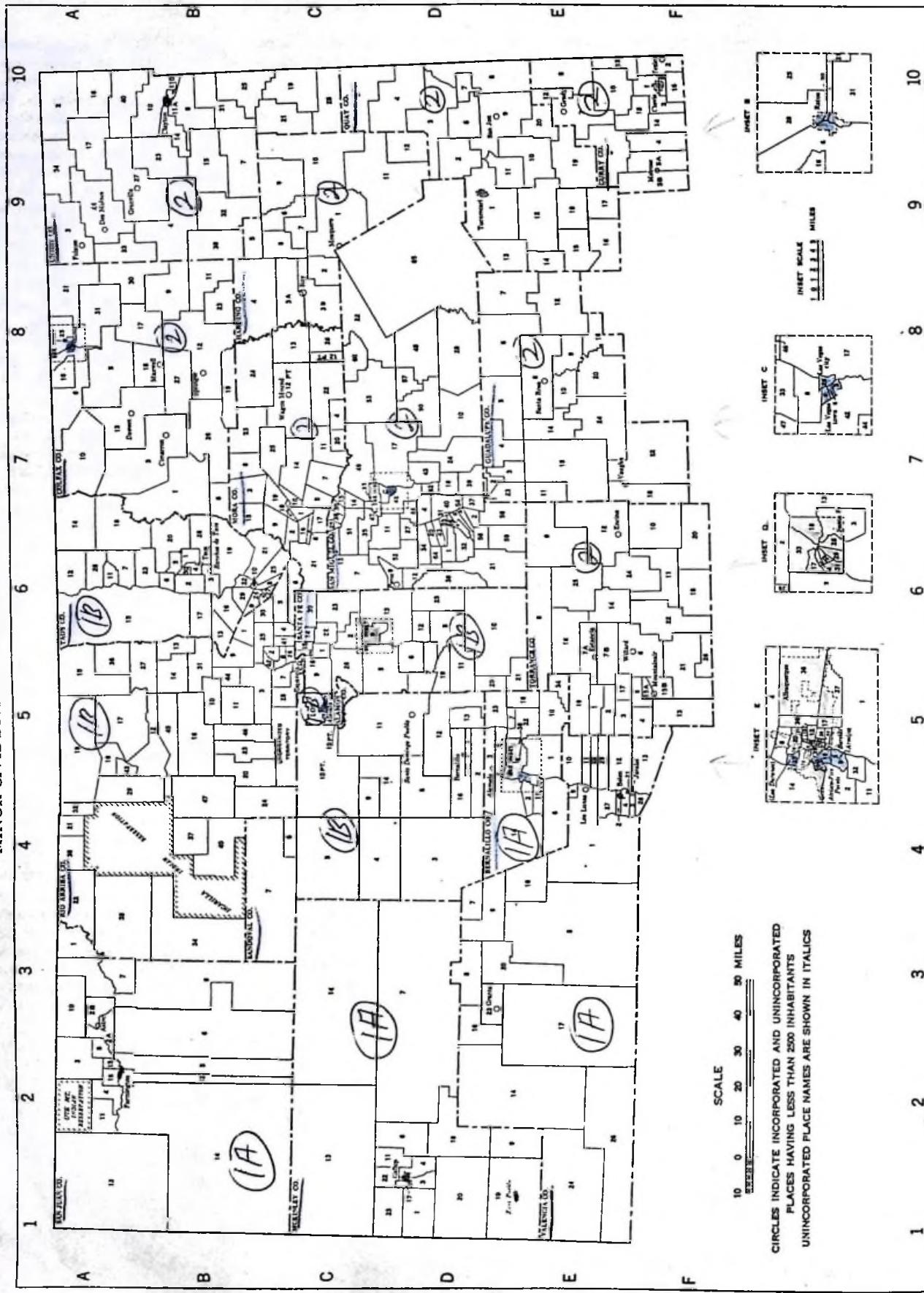
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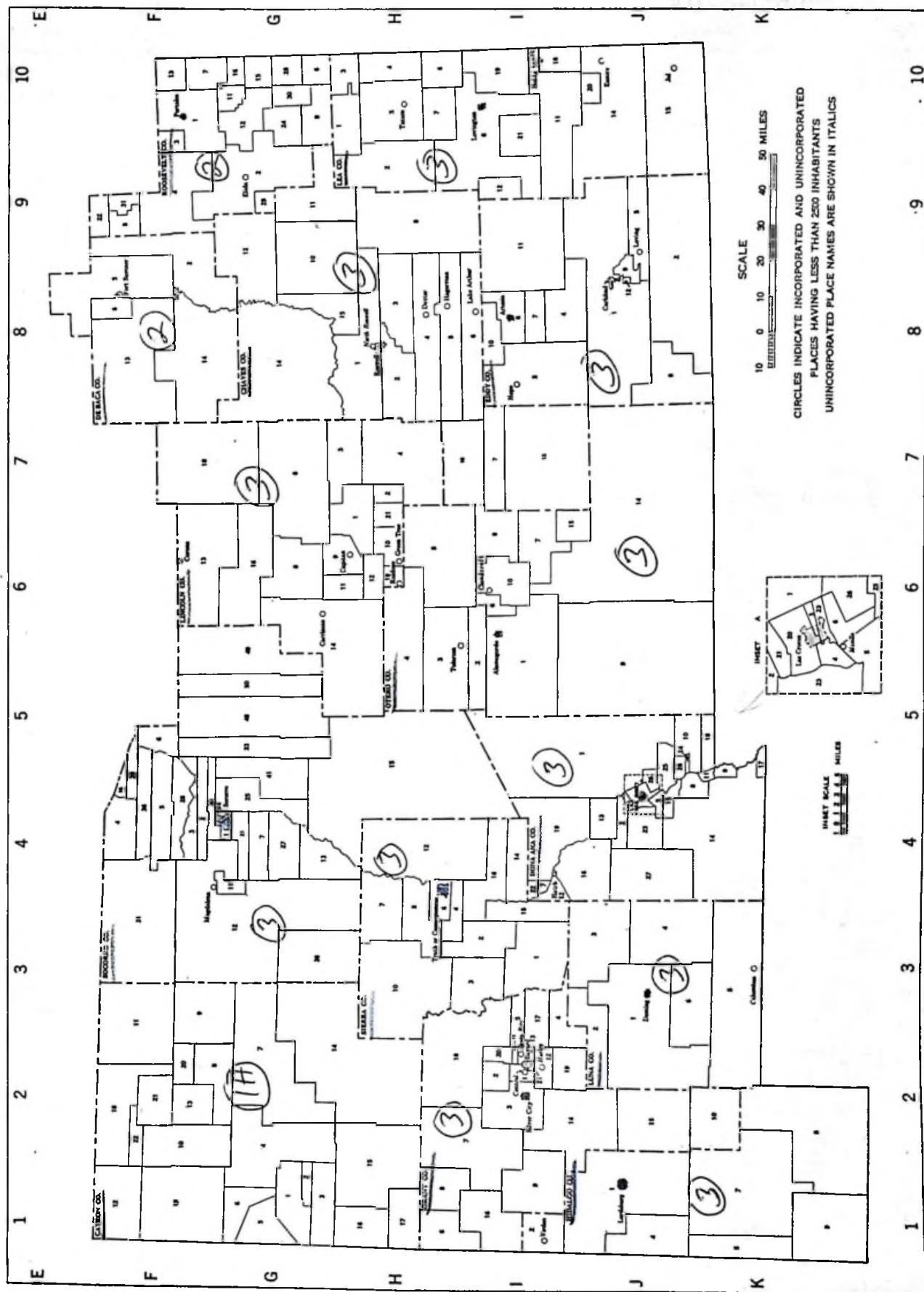
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Table 1.—POPULATION OF NEW MEXICO, URBAN AND RURAL: 1850 TO 1950

(For description of new and old urban definitions, see text. Minus sign (—) denotes decrease)

Census date	The State			Urban territory				Rural territory				Percent of total	
	Population	Increase over preceding census		Number of urban places <sup>1</sup>	Population	Increase over preceding census		Population	Increase over preceding census		Urban	Rural	
		Number	Percent			Number	Percent		Number	Percent			
New urban definition, 1950 (Apr. 1)	681,187	140,360	28.1	29	341,889	—	—	330,298	—	—	50.2	49.8	
Old urban definition:													
1950 (Apr. 1)	681,187	149,369	28.1	24	314,636	138,235	78.4	366,551	11,134	3.1	46.2	53.8	
1910 (Apr. 1)	531,818	108,501	25.0	22	170,401	69,585	65.1	355,417	38,916	12.3	33.2	66.8	
1930 (Apr. 1)	423,317	62,967	17.5	16	100,816	41,856	64.4	316,501	21,111	7.1	25.2	74.8	
1920 (Jan. 1)	360,350	33,049	10.1	12	64,960	18,380	30.5	295,390	14,660	5.2	18.0	82.0	
1910 (Apr. 15)	327,301	131,901	67.6	10	46,571	19,190	70.1	280,730	112,801	67.2	14.2	85.8	
1900 (June 1)	195,310	35,028	21.9	7	27,391	17,411	174.6	167,929	17,617	11.7	14.0	86.0	
1890 (June 1)	160,252	40,717	34.1	2	9,970	3,335	50.3	150,312	37,382	33.1	6.2	93.8	
1880 (June 1)	119,565	27,691	30.1	1	6,635	1,870	39.2	112,630	25,821	29.6	5.5	94.5	
1870 (June 1)	91,874	-1,642	-1.8	1	4,765	130	2.8	87,109	-1,772	-2.0	5.2	91.8	
1860 (June 1)	83,516	31,960	51.9	1	4,635	96	2.1	88,881	31,873	55.0	6.0	95.6	
1850 (June 1)	81,547	—	—	1	4,530	—	—	57,008	—	—	7.4	92.6	

<sup>1</sup> According to the new urban definition, the urban population comprises persons residing in urban territory but not necessarily in an urban place, which is defined as an incorporated place of 2,500 or more, or an unincorporated place of 2,500 or more located outside an urbanized area. Under the old definition, incorporated places of 2,500 or more and places urban under special rule are classified as urban places. There were no places urban under special rule in New Mexico.

<sup>2</sup> Total for 1860 is exclusive of population of area taken to form part of Colorado Territory in 1861, but it includes population of area organized as part of the Territory of Arizona in 1863. No estimate of population in 1850 is available for territory acquired from Mexico through the Gadsden Purchase (1853), annexed to New Mexico in 1854.

Table 2.—POPULATION IN GROUPS OF PLACES ACCORDING TO SIZE: 1950

Type of area and size of place	Number of places	Population	Percent of total population	Percent of total	Type of area and size of place	Number of places	Population	Percent of total population	Percent of total
The State	681,187	100.0			Rural, total	339,298	49.8		100.0
Urban, total	29	341,889	50.2	100.0	Places under 2,500	59	63,964	9.4	18.9
Places of 50,000 or more	1	96,815	14.2	28.3	Places of 2,000 to 2,500	7	15,182	2.2	4.5
Places of 25,000 to 50,000	2	53,736	7.9	15.7	Places of 1,500 to 2,000	8	14,068	2.1	4.1
Places of 10,000 to 25,000	4	61,493	9.0	18.0	Places of 1,000 to 1,500	17	21,379	3.1	6.3
Places of 5,000 to 10,000	12	92,690	13.6	27.1	Places under 1,000	27	13,335	2.0	3.9
Places of 2,500 to 5,000	10	37,155	5.5	10.0	Other rural territory	275,334	40.4		81.1

Table 3.—POPULATION IN GROUPS OF PLACES ACCORDING TO SIZE: 1900 TO 1950

Subject and class of place	1950		1940	1930	1920	1910	1900
	New urban definition	Old urban definition					
<b>NUMBER OF PLACES</b>							
Urban territory	29	24	22	16	12	10	7
Places of 50,000 to 100,000	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Places of 25,000 to 50,000	2	2	1	1	—	—	—
Places of 10,000 to 25,000	4	4	4	2	1	1	—
Places of 5,000 to 10,000	12	10	9	4	3	2	2
Places of 2,500 to 5,000	10	7	8	0	3	7	5
Rural territory	59	48	41	40	34	20	4
Places of 1,000 to 2,500	32	21	13	11	13	6	2
Places under 1,000	27	27	28	29	21	14	2
<b>CUMULATIVE SUMMARY:</b>							
Places of 50,000 or more	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Places of 25,000 or more	3	3	1	1	—	—	—
Places of 10,000 or more	7	7	5	3	1	1	—
Places of 5,000 or more	19	17	14	7	4	3	2
Places of 2,500 or more	20	24	22	16	12	10	7
<b>POPULATION</b>							
Urban territory	341,889	314,636	176,401	106,816	64,960	46,571	27,381
Places of 50,000 to 100,000	96,815	96,815	—	—	—	—	—
Places of 25,000 to 50,000	53,736	53,736	35,449	26,570	—	—	—
Places of 10,000 to 25,000	61,493	61,493	54,401	22,349	15,157	11,020	—
Places of 5,000 to 10,000	92,690	75,389	58,883	23,920	19,813	11,244	11,841
Places of 2,500 to 5,000	37,155	27,203	27,668	31,977	29,990	24,307	15,540
Rural territory	339,298	366,551	355,417	316,501	295,390	280,730	167,929
Places of 1,000 to 2,500	50,029	34,073	19,926	17,458	20,348	10,539	3,501
Places under 1,000	13,335	13,335	15,749	15,335	9,771	7,074	1,454
Other rural territory	275,334	310,143	310,742	283,708	265,271	263,117	162,914
<b>CUMULATIVE SUMMARY:</b>							
Places of 50,000 or more	96,815	96,815	—	—	—	—	—
Places of 25,000 or more	150,551	150,551	35,449	26,570	—	—	—
Places of 10,000 or more	212,044	212,044	89,040	48,910	15,157	11,020	—
Places of 5,000 or more	301,734	287,433	148,703	74,830	34,970	22,264	11,841
Places of 2,500 or more	341,889	314,636	176,401	106,816	64,960	46,571	27,381

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Table 3.—POPULATION IN GROUPS OF PLACES ACCORDING TO SIZE: 1900 TO 1950—Con.

Subject and class of place	1950		1940	1930	1920	1910	1900
	New urban definition	Old urban definition					
<b>PERCENT OF TOTAL POPULATION</b>							
<b>Urban territory</b>	50.2	46.2	33.2	25.2	18.0	14.2	14.0
Places of 50,000 to 100,000	14.2	14.2					
Places of 25,000 to 50,000	7.9	7.9	6.7	6.3			
Places of 10,000 to 25,000	9.0	9.0	10.2	5.3	4.2	3.4	
Places of 5,000 to 10,000	13.6	11.1	11.1	6.1	5.5	3.4	6.1
Places of 2,500 to 5,000	5.5	4.0	5.2	7.6	8.3	7.4	8.0
<b>Rural territory</b>	49.8	53.8	66.8	74.8	82.0	85.8	86.0
Places of 1,000 to 2,500	7.4	5.0	3.7	4.1	5.6	3.2	1.8
Places under 1,000	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.6	2.7	2.2	0.7
Other rural territory	40.4	46.9	60.1	67.0	73.8	80.4	83.4
<b>Cumulative summary:</b>							
Places of 50,000 or more	14.2	14.2					
Places of 25,000 or more	22.1	22.1	0.7	6.3			
Places of 10,000 or more	31.1	31.1	16.9	11.6	4.2	3.4	
Places of 5,000 or more	44.7	42.2	28.0	17.7	9.7	6.8	6.1
Places of 2,500 or more	50.2	46.2	33.2	25.2	18.0	14.2	14.0

Table 4.—POPULATION OF CITIES OF 10,000 OR MORE FROM EARLIEST CENSUS TO 1950

[Minus sign (—) denotes decrease]

City and census year	Popula-tion	Increase over pre-ceeding census		City and census year	Popula-tion	Increase over pre-ceeding census		City and census year	Popula-tion	Increase over pre-ceeding census	
		Number	Percent			Number	Percent			Number	Percent
<b>Albuquerque:</b>	96,815	61,366	173.1	<b>Clovis:</b>	17,318	7,253	72.1	<b>Roswell:</b>	25,738	12,256	90.9
1930	35,449	8,879	33.4	1940	10,065	2,038	25.4	1940	13,452	2,309	20.7
1940	26,570	11,413	75.3	1930	8,027	3,123	63.7	1930	11,173	4,140	58.9
1950	15,187	4,137	37.5	1920	4,904	1,649	50.7	1920	7,033	661	14.0
1960	11,020	4,782	76.7	1910	3,235			1910	6,172	4,123	201.2
1970	6,238	2,453	64.8					1900	2,049		
1980	3,785										
<b>Carlsbad:</b>	17,975	10,859	152.8	<b>Hobbs:</b>	13,875	3,256	30.7	<b>Santa Fe:</b>	27,098	7,073	37.8
1930	7,116	3,408	91.9	1940	10,619	10,021	1,675.8	1940	20,325	9,149	81.9
1940	3,708	1,503	68.2	1930	598			1930	11,176	3,940	54.4
1950	2,205	469	27.8					1920	7,236	2,104	42.7
1960	1,736	773	60.3					1910	5,072	-531	-9.5
1970	963			<b>Las Cruces:</b>	12,325	3,940	47.0	1900	5,003	-582	-9.4
				1940	8,355	2,574	44.3	1890	6,185	-450	-6.8
				1930	5,811	1,642	40.4	1880	6,036	1,870	39.2
				1920	3,969	133	3.5	1870	4,765	130	2.8
				1910	3,836			1860	4,035	96	2.1
								1850	14,539		

\* Estimated.

Table 5.—AREA AND POPULATION OF COUNTIES, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930 TO 1950

[Figures in italics are shown only for those counties where change in definition affects urban and rural classification. Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. Percent not shown where base is less than 100]

County	Map refer-ence (see p. 31-2)	Land area in square miles, 1950	Total population				Urban population			Rural population			Percent urban	
			1950		1940	1930	Percent increase		1950	1940	Percent increase	1950	1940	Percent increase
			Total	Per square mile			1940 to 1950	1930 to 1940						
<b>The State—Old urban definition</b>		121,511	681,187	5.6	531,818	423,317	28.1	25.6	341,589			339,298		50.2
Bernalillo	D-4	1,163	145,673	125.3	69,301	45,430	109.9	52.7	111,571	56,816	35,449	173.1	34,102	76.0
<i>Old urban definition</i>													48,868	66.5
Catron	F-1	6,898	3,533	0.5	4,581	3,242	-27.6	48.7	3,533	4,581	-27.6		3,533	61.1
Chaves	G-8	6,094	40,605	6.7	23,080	19,549	69.3	22.7	25,738	13,452	90.9	14,667	10,498	41.6
Colfax	A-7	3,765	16,761	4.5	18,718	19,157	-10.5	-2.3	6,241	7,007	8.8	8,520	11,111	63.4
Curry	E-9	1,403	23,351	16.8	18,159	15,809	28.6	14.9	17,318	10,065	72.1	6,033	8,091	24.2
De Baca	E-7	2,358	3,464	1.5	3,725	2,593	-7.0	25.8	3,464	3,725	-7.0			
Dona Ana	I-4	3,604	39,557	10.4	30,411	27,453	30.1	10.8	12,325	8,285	47.0	27,232	22,026	31.2
Eddy	I-7	4,163	40,640	9.8	24,311	15,842	67.2	53.5	26,219	11,187	134.4	14,421	13,124	27.6
Grant	H-1	3,970	21,649	5.5	20,050	19,050	8.0	6.2	7,022	5,044	39.2	14,627	15,000	44.5
Guadalupe	D-7	2,998	6,772	2.3	8,646	7,027	-21.7	23.0				6,772	8,646	24.2
Harding	B-8	2,136	3,013	1.4	4,374	4,421	-31.1	-1.1				3,013	4,374	50.0
Hidalgo	I-1	3,447	5,095	1.5	4,621	5,023	6.7	-4.0	3,625	3,101	13.7	1,570	1,720	14.3
Lea	H-9	4,303	30,717	7.0	21,154	6,144	45.2	244.3	17,009	10,619	60.2	13,708	10,635	30.1
Lincoln	F-6	4,859	7,409	1.5	8,557	7,198	-13.4	18.9				7,409	8,557	-13.4
Los Alamos	C-5	108	10,476	97.0					9,034			542		94.8
<i>Old urban definition</i>													10,476	

\* Los Alamos organized from parts of Sandoval and Santa Fe in 1949.

## NUMBER OF INHABITANTS

Table 5.—AREA AND POPULATION OF COUNTIES, URBAN AND RURAL: 1930 TO 1950—Con.

County	Map reference (see p. 31-2)	Land area in square miles, 1950	Total population						Urban population			Rural population			Percent urban		
			1950		1940	1930	Percent increase		1950	1940	Percent increase	1950	1940	Percent increase	1950	1940	Percent increase
			Total	Per square mile			1940 to 1950	1930 to 1940									
Luna	J-2	2,957	8,753	3.0	6,457	6,247	35.6	3.4	5,072	3,008	57.2	3,081	2,849	8.1	64.8	55.9	
McKinley	C-1	5,450	27,451	5.0	23,041	20,643	16.1	14.5	9,133	7,041	20.7	18,755	16,800	10.3	42.6	35.3	
<i>Old urban definition</i>																	<i>29.8</i>
Mora	B-6	1,042	8,720	4.5	10,081	10,322	-20.6	0.4	8,112	5,104	58.0	8,720	10,981	-20.6	-----	-----	-----
Otero	H-5	6,038	14,009	2.2	10,522	9,779	41.7	7.6	6,783	3,950	71.7	8,120	6,572	23.6	45.5	37.5	-----
Quay	C-10	2,883	13,071	4.8	12,111	10,828	15.4	11.8	8,410	6,104	35.9	5,552	5,917	-6.2	60.3	51.1	-----
Rio Arriba	A-1	5,855	24,097	4.3	25,352	21,381	-1.4	18.6	24,997	25,352	-1.4	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Roosevelt	F-9	2,455	10,400	6.7	14,549	11,109	12.8	31.0	8,112	5,104	58.0	8,297	9,445	-12.2	40.4	35.1	-----
Sandoval	B-3	3,718	12,438	3.3	13,808	11,144	-10.5	24.7	-----	-----	-----	12,438	13,898	-10.5	-----	-----	-----
San Juan	A-1	6,515	19,202	3.3	17,115	14,701	6.9	16.4	3,037	-----	-----	14,655	17,115	-14.4	19.9	-----	-----
San Miguel	C-6	4,740	26,512	5.6	27,910	23,036	-5.0	18.1	13,703	12,302	11.3	12,749	15,548	-18.0	51.9	44.3	-----
Santa Fe <sup>1</sup>	C-6	1,028	38,163	10.8	30,820	19,567	23.8	57.5	27,908	20,325	37.8	10,155	10,501	-3.3	73.4	65.0	-----
Sierra	H-3	3,034	7,180	2.4	6,092	5,184	3.2	34.3	4,563	2,940	55.2	2,623	4,022	-34.8	63.5	42.2	-----
Socorro	F-3	7,752	9,670	1.2	11,422	9,011	-15.3	18.8	4,334	3,712	16.8	5,336	7,710	-30.8	44.8	32.6	-----
Taos	A-6	2,256	17,146	7.6	18,528	14,394	-7.5	28.7	-----	-----	-----	17,146	18,528	-7.5	-----	-----	-----
Torrance	E-5	3,340	8,012	2.4	11,020	9,269	-27.3	19.0	-----	-----	-----	8,012	11,026	-27.3	-----	-----	-----
Union	A-9	3,817	7,372	1.9	9,005	11,036	-18.9	-17.0	3,515	3,188	10.3	3,857	5,907	-34.7	47.7	38.1	-----
Valencia	E-1	5,657	22,481	4.0	20,245	16,186	11.0	25.1	4,405	3,038	45.0	17,986	17,207	4.5	20.0	16.0	-----

<sup>1</sup> Los Alamos organized from parts of Sandoval and Santa Fe in 1949.

Table 6.—POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930 TO 1950

"Uninc." designates an unincorporated place. "Precincts" shown here are election precincts. Figures for 1940 and 1930 are not available for unincorporated places or places incorporated since April 1, 1940. Minor civil division figures for 1910 and 1930 do not necessarily add to county totals. Boundary changes between 1940 and 1950 given in footnotes; for changes between 1930 and 1940, see reports of 16th Census (1940), *Population*, Vol. I, pp. 607-701. Total population of a place located within 2 or more minor civil divisions appears in table 7.]

County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930
(1A) Bernalillo County <sup>1</sup>	145,673	69,391	45,430	Bernalillo County—Con.	3,863	3,033	10,760	(3) Chaves County	40,605	23,980	19,549
Prec. 1, San Jose	4,025	-----	-----	Precinct 20	3,863	3,033	10,760	Prec. 1, Roswell <sup>2</sup>	13,387	8,458	7,277
Albuquerque city (part)	1,737	-----	-----	Albuquerque city (part)	3,863	3,033	10,760	North Roswell (uninc.)	1,259	-----	-----
Prec. 2, Del Rio	2,011	-----	-----	Precinct 27	4,228	4,580	-----	Roswell city (part) <sup>3</sup>	11,087	6,960	6,611
Albuquerque city (part)	18	-----	-----	Albuquerque city (part)	4,228	4,580	-----	Roswell city (part) <sup>2</sup>	18,650	8,292	6,080
Prec. 3, Alameda	2,414	1,351	1,000	Prec. 28, Atrisco	2,081	-----	-----	Prec. 3, East Grand Plains	14,651	6,522	5,538
Atalmeda (uninc.)	1,792	-----	-----	Albuquerque city (part)	370	-----	-----	Prec. 4, Dexter	2,111	1,240	1,290
Prec. 4, Ranchos de Albuquerque	4,496	-----	-----	Atrisco-Pine Points (uninc.)	2,470	-----	-----	Dexter town	2,715	1,946	2,020
Albuquerque city (part)	518	-----	-----	(part)	4,473	2,303	-----	Prec. 5, Hagerman	1,921	1,850	1,247
Prec. 5, Barcas <sup>1</sup>	3,310	1,569	1,055	Albuquerque city (part)	4,473	2,303	-----	Hagerman town	1,084	854	609
Albuquerque city (part) <sup>1</sup>	1,464	-----	-----	Precinct 30	2,803	3,386	-----	Prec. 6, Lake Arthur	813	848	755
Barelas (uninc.)	518	-----	-----	Albuquerque city (part)	2,803	3,386	-----	Lake Arthur town	580	279	216
Prec. 6, Los Padillas	1,842	1,558	1,165	Precinct 31	3,719	3,567	-----	Prec. 7, Lower Penasco <sup>2</sup>	240	251	208
Prec. 7, San Antonio	304	255	210	Albuquerque city (part)	3,719	3,567	-----	Prec. 8, Caprock	107	124	130
Prec. 8, Los Griegos	10,120	-----	-----	Prec. 32, Barcelona	2,000	-----	-----	Prec. 10, Elkins	79	124	117
Albuquerque city (part)	7,616	-----	-----	Prec. 34, Chilili	264	561	473	Prec. 11, Lone Wolf <sup>1</sup>	56	103	117
Prec. 9, Armijo	4,516	-----	-----	Prec. 35, Duranes	2,873	-----	-----	Prec. 12, Olive	75	142	122
Armijo (uninc.)	4,516	220	303	Los Duranes (uninc.)	2,873	-----	-----	Prec. 13, Dunken <sup>3</sup>	123	245	168
Prec. 10, Escobosa	6,682	5,037	0,955	Precinct 30	5,684	-----	-----	Prec. 14, Chaves	184	219	-----
Prec. 11, Pajarito	6,682	5,037	0,955	Albuquerque city (part)	6,684	-----	-----	Prec. 15, Frazier	66	138	-----
Precinct 12	4,897	-----	-----	Precinct 37	14,061	-----	-----	Prec. 16, Flying H <sup>4</sup>	78	-----	-----
Albuquerque city (part)	2,730	2,287	1,831	Albuquerque city (part)	8,728	-----	-----	(2) Colfax County	16,761	18,713	19,157
Precinct 14	6,158	-----	-----	Precinct 38	12,980	-----	-----	Prec. 1, Eagle Nest	332	432	142
Albuquerque city (part)	5,038	-----	-----	11,051	-----	-----	Prec. 3, Cimarron	1,101	848	923	
Prec. 15, Santa Barbara	1,703	1,032	880	Prec. 1, Reservoir	417	428	200	Prec. 5, Van Houten	855	744	698
Albuquerque city (part) <sup>1</sup>	1,733	-----	-----	Prec. 2, Middle Frisco	147	154	182	Prec. 6, Raton <sup>1</sup>	723	662	704
Prec. 16, El Sedillo	242	323	280	Prec. 3, Lower Frisco	74	137	148	Raton city (part) <sup>2</sup>	3,532	3,374	3,269
Prec. 17, University Heights	0,065	-----	-----	Prec. 4, Aragon	656	594	370	Prec. 8, Black Lakes	83	153	147
Albuquerque city (part)	7,653	-----	-----	Prec. 5, Luna	289	273	170	Prec. 9, Chico	168	240	408
Prec. 18, Rio Grande	4,006	-----	-----	Prec. 6, Spur Lake	5	29	10	Prec. 10, Vormelo Park	40	104	64
Albuquerque city (part)	9	-----	-----	Prec. 7, Horse Springs	240	269	310	Prec. 11, Farley	360	537	394
Atrisco-Pine Points (uninc.)	4,897	-----	-----	Prec. 8, Greens Gap	50	142	137	Prec. 12, Springer <sup>2</sup>	2,012	1,790	1,382
Prec. 19, Sawmill <sup>1</sup>	2,730	2,287	1,831	Prec. 9, Datil	213	200	174	Prec. 13, Dawson	1,553	1,314	887
Albuquerque city (part)	2,736	2,283	1,831	Prec. 10, Quezado	420	428	435	Dawson (uninc.)	1,249	1,613	2,088
Prec. 20, Indian School	7,193	-----	-----	Prec. 11, Trinchera	180	204	65	Prec. 16, Brilliant <sup>2</sup>	222	489	585
Albuquerque city (part)	6,158	-----	-----	Prec. 12, Salt Lake	29	20	43	Prec. 17, Tijeras	68	171	157
Precinct 21	050	1,050	003	Prec. 13, Mangas	49	118	90	Prec. 18, Maxwell	678	936	1,043
Albuquerque city (part)	550	1,030	903	Prec. 14, Beaverhead	60	132	50	Prec. 19, Colmar	92	150	274
Prec. 22, Tijeras	770	688	407	Prec. 15, Mogollon	45	554	290	Prec. 20, East Raton	1,801	1,888	1,573
Prec. 23, San Antonio	361	445	250	Prec. 17, Glenwood	100	120	128	Raton city (part)	1,767	1,831	1,760
Prec. 24, San Jose <sup>1</sup>	3,038	3,010	2,888	Prec. 18, Treschado	214	272	135	Prec. 21, Johnson Mesa <sup>2</sup>	58	198	175
Albuquerque city (part) <sup>1</sup>	3,038	3,010	2,888	Prec. 20, Cov Springs	87	280	172	Prec. 23, Newton	134	190	165
Precinct 25	4,020	3,010	2,888	Prec. 21, Prairie View	43	83	84	Prec. 23, Yankee <sup>1</sup>	101	170	148
Albuquerque city (part)	4,020	3,010	2,888	Prec. 22, Midway	77	55	55				

<sup>1</sup> BERNALILLO.—County partially redistricted since 1910 and parts of restricted areas annexed to Albuquerque city; comparative figures shown wherever possible. Albuquerque city annexed parts of precincts 5, 13, 15, and 24 since 1917. No population was reported in 1950 for that part of precinct 19 outside of Albuquerque city.<sup>2</sup> CHAVES.—Roswell city annexed parts of precinct 1 in 1910, 1948, and 1949; parts of precinct 2 in every year 1944 through 1950. Precinct 7, Lower Penasco, returned in 1940 as Elk-Lower Penasco; part taken to organize precinct 16 in 1940. Precinct 11, Lone Wolf, returned in 1940 as White Chapel. Precinct 13, Dunken, returned in 1940 as Dunkin.<sup>3</sup> COLFAX.—Annexations: precinct 2, Ute Park, to precinct 3; precinct 24, Gardiner, to precinct 6; precinct 14, Gillespie, to precinct 12; precinct 7, Trinchera, to precinct 15; precinct 18, Red Lakes, to precinct 20; precinct 22, Johnson Park, to precinct 31, in 1940; precinct 20, Sugarito, to precinct 25, in 1943; precinct 4, Rayado, to precinct 26 in 1948. Springer town returned as a village in 1940. Precinct 16, Brilliant, returned as Swastika in 1940. Raton city annexed part of precinct 6 in 1940, and parts of precinct 31 in 1945 and 1949. Precinct 31 annexed parts of precinct 6 in 1946 and 1940.

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Table 6.—POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930 TO 1950—Con.

County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930
<b>Colfax County—Con.</b>				<b>(3) Eddy County</b>	<b>40,640</b>	<b>24,311</b>	<b>15,842</b>	<b>Harding County—Con.</b>			
Prec. 26, Miami <sup>1</sup> .....	364	400	336	Prec. 1, Carlsbad <sup>2</sup> .....	21,365	10,773	5,182	Prec. 3A, Roy <sup>10</sup> .....	602		
Prec. 27, French.....	293	316	398	Carlsbad city <sup>2</sup> .....	17,975	7,116	5,708	Roy village (part).....	655		
Prec. 28, North Raton.....	1,975	1,738	1,305	Prec. 2, Malaga.....	1,073	1,261	1,172	Prec. 3B, Roy <sup>10</sup> .....	697		
Raton city (part).....	1,874	1,707	1,282	Prec. 3, Hope.....	403	628	792	Roy village (part).....	839		
Prec. 30, KIowa.....	105	151	197	Prec. 4, Lakewood.....	786	289	276	Prec. 4, Mills.....	162	296	405
Prec. 31, Southeast Raton <sup>1</sup> .....	1,272	844	—	Prec. 5, Loving.....	286	325	348	Prec. 5, Yates.....	67	147	105
Raton city (part) <sup>1</sup> .....	1,187	844	—	Prec. 6, Artesia <sup>1</sup> .....	2,210	1,709	1,464	Prec. 6, DeChaven.....	30	77	119
<b>(2) Curry County</b> .....	<b>23,351</b>	<b>18,159</b>	<b>15,809</b>	Loring village <sup>1</sup> .....	1,487			Prec. 7, Albert.....	27	51	63
Prec. 1, Clovis <sup>1</sup> .....	13,024	8,185	6,429	Prec. 8, Artesia city <sup>1</sup> .....	10,767	6,361	3,387	Prec. 8, Sabin.....	33	107	133
Clovis city (part) <sup>1</sup> .....	12,700	7,575	5,819	Prec. 9, Artesia <sup>1</sup> .....	8,244	4,071	2,427	Prec. 9, Salado.....	257	237	—
Prec. 2, Texico.....	1,034	1,016	1,163	<b>(3) Grant County</b> .....	<b>21,649</b>	<b>20,050</b>	<b>19,050</b>	Prec. 10, Rosebud.....	61	121	60
Terico town.....	691	478	569	Prec. 7, Dayton.....	612	593	567	Prec. 11, Gallegos.....	131	297	213
Prec. 3, Blacktower.....	328	336	399	Prec. 8, Queen.....	50	85	143	Prec. 12, Pleasant Valley.....	103	175	229
Prec. 4, St. Vrain.....	143	312	293	Prec. 9, Otis <sup>1</sup> .....	1,171	1,021	1,204	<b>(3) Hidalgo County</b> .....	<b>5,095</b>	<b>4,821</b>	<b>5,023</b>
Prec. 5A, Melrose.....	640	552	—	Prec. 10, Cottonwood.....	834	806	977	Prec. 1, Lordsburg.....	3,761	3,407	2,159
Melrose village (part).....	450	294	—	Prec. 11, Oilfield.....	812	649	306	Lordsburg city <sup>1</sup> .....	3,825	3,101	2,069
Prec. 5B, Melrose.....	837	1,065	—	Prec. 12, Thayer Apartments <sup>1</sup> .....	1,051			Prec. 2, Virden.....	473	661	628
Melrose village (part).....	486	657	—	<b>(3) Lea County</b> .....	<b>30,717</b>	<b>21,154</b>	<b>6,144</b>	Virden village.....	146	206	196
Prec. 6, Field.....	340	519	511	Prec. 1, Central.....	2,185	2,515	—	Prec. 4, Steins.....	212	171	199
Prec. 7, Grady <sup>1</sup> .....	383	603	626	Central town <sup>1</sup> .....	1,611			Prec. 5, Rodeo.....	191	168	230
Grady village.....	180	237	—	Prec. 2, Pinos Altos.....	233	322	—	Prec. 7, Animas Station <sup>11</sup> .....	301	168	107
Prec. 8, Rosedale <sup>1</sup> .....	408	369	381	Prec. 3, Silver City <sup>1</sup> .....	7,673	5,561	—	Prec. 8, Walnut Wells.....	90	47	170
Prec. 9, Clovis <sup>1</sup> .....	4,801	2,959	2,864	Silver City town <sup>1</sup> .....	7,024	5,014	3,519	Prec. 9, Cloverdale.....	67	94	177
Clovis city (part) <sup>1</sup> .....	4,618	2,490	2,178	Prec. 4, Dwyer.....	150	237	—	<b>(3) Lea County</b> .....	<b>30,717</b>	<b>21,154</b>	<b>6,144</b>
Prec. 10, Claud.....	250	352	269	Prec. 5, Lorenzo.....	296	476	—	Prec. 1, Crossroads.....	79		
Prec. 12, Broadview <sup>1</sup> .....	216	152	202	Prec. 6, Mule Creek.....	52	105	—	Prec. 2, Caprock.....	178	235	165
Prec. 13, Pleasant Hill.....	161	284	262	Prec. 7, Gila.....	821	1,051	—	Prec. 3, Pitchfork.....	100		
Prec. 14, Grier.....	180	306	291	Prec. 8, Buckhorn.....	96	229	—	Prec. 4, Highway.....	144	174	263
Prec. 15, Ranchvale.....	243	331	389	Prec. 9, Redrock.....	137	166	—	Prec. 5, Tatum.....	1,116	635	598
Prec. 16, Center.....	351	376	—	Prec. 10, Hatchita.....	192	202	—	Tatum village <sup>12</sup> .....	688		
<b>(2) De Baca County</b> .....	<b>3,464</b>	<b>3,725</b>	<b>2,893</b>	Prec. 11, Hanover.....	1,040	970	—	Prec. 6, Prairieview.....	466	240	204
Prec. 2, Taiban <sup>1</sup> .....	206	228	221	Prec. 12, Hurley.....	2,633	2,386	—	Prec. 7, McDonald.....	397	164	354
Prec. 3, Fort Sumner <sup>1</sup> .....	2,439	1,882	1,143	Hurley (uninc.).....	2,079		—	Prec. 8, Lovington.....	4,004	3,193	1,916
Fort Sumner village (part).....	1,000	1,088	651	Prec. 13, Santa Rita.....	2,322	2,948	—	Prec. 10, Hobbs.....	9,455	8,156	1,462
Prec. 6, West Fort Sumner.....	415	642	267	Santa Rita (uninc.).....	2,155		—	Hobbs city (part).....	9,055	7,676	—
Fort Sumner village (part).....	388	681	188	Prec. 14, Tyrone.....	245	163	—	Prec. 11, Monument.....	700		
Prec. 13, Yeso <sup>1</sup> .....	313	244	239	Prec. 15, Separ.....	161	105	—	Prec. 12, Majimato.....	225		
Prec. 14, Dunlap.....	91	161	212	Steepclerk.....	22	77	—	Eunice city <sup>13</sup> .....	3,479		
<b>(3) Dona Ana County</b> .....	<b>39,557</b>	<b>30,411</b>	<b>27,455</b>	Prec. 17, San Juan.....	203	237	—	Jal city <sup>12</sup> .....	2,552	1,227	—
Prec. 1, Organ.....	1,847	190	131	Prec. 18, Mimbres.....	149	349	—	Prec. 15, Jal <sup>12</sup> .....	2,708	1,157	404
Prec. 2, Dona Ana.....	851	850	842	Prec. 19, Whitewater.....	64	81	—	Prec. 16, New Hobbs <sup>12</sup> .....	5,601		
Prec. 3, Las Cruces.....	1,949	1,546	2,515	Prec. 20, Ferro.....	498	586	—	Hobbs city (part) <sup>12</sup> .....	4,820	2,943	—
Las Cruces city (part).....	1,945	1,646	2,402	Prec. 21, Bayard.....	2,437	1,252	—	<b>(3) Lincoln County</b> .....	<b>7,409</b>	<b>8,557</b>	<b>7,198</b>
Prec. 4, Mesilla (Upper).....	624	1,061	1,701	Bayard.....	2,118	764	—	Prec. 1, Lincoln.....	590	905	895
Prec. 5, Mesilla (Lower).....	2,041	1,391	1,675	Prec. 1, Anton Chico Arriba.....	192	267	179	Prec. 2, Hondo <sup>13</sup> .....	425	892	854
Mesilla (uninc.).....	1,261			Prec. 2, Anton Chico.....	411	562	435	Prec. 3, Arabela.....	105	197	242
Prec. 6, Mesilla Park.....	3,878	1,826	2,343	Prec. 3, El Llano.....	127	197	200	Prec. 4, Picacho.....	287	419	410
Prec. 7, Salem.....	520	634	473	Prec. 5, Colonias.....	338	561	361	Prec. 6, Encino <sup>13</sup> .....	140	146	143
Prec. 8, La Mesa.....	1,535	1,323	1,752	Prec. 6, Cuervo.....	210	188	287	Prec. 8, White Oaks <sup>13</sup> .....	80	110	100
Prec. 9, La Union.....	1,334	1,703	2,336	Prec. 7, Newkirk.....	190	271	239	Prec. 9, Capitan.....	653	1,127	551
Prec. 10, Berino.....	548	525	1,517	Prec. 8, Santa Rosa.....	2,548	2,527	1,381	Capitan village.....	675	932	—
Prec. 11, Chamberino.....	793	826	1,733	Santa Rosa town <sup>1</sup> .....	2,199	2,310	1,127	Prec. 10, Ruidoso.....	719	516	549
Prec. 12, Hatch <sup>1</sup> .....	1,855	1,617	1,021	Prec. 9, East Puerto de Luna.....	188	390	336	Green Tree village <sup>13</sup> .....	363		—
Hatch village <sup>1</sup> .....	1,064	822	364	Prec. 10, West Puerto de Luna.....	244	429	283	Prec. 11, Nogal.....	131	178	196
Prec. 13, Hill.....	450	542	466	Prec. 11, Milagro.....	78	107	161	Prec. 12, Bonito.....	66	182	189
Prec. 14, Afton.....	398	227	—	Prec. 12, Alamo <sup>1</sup> .....	36	77	59	Prec. 13, Corona.....	803	811	717
Prec. 15, San Miguel.....	1,458	1,246	795	Prec. 14, San Ignacio.....	120	161	148	Prec. 14, Corona village <sup>13</sup> .....	590		
Prec. 16, Rodey.....	945	558	588	Prec. 15, Pintada <sup>1</sup> .....	139	338	236	Prec. 14, Carrizozo <sup>13</sup> .....	1,584	1,682	1,242
Prec. 17, Anapara.....	526	346	104	Prec. 16, Los Ojitos.....	47	66	64	Carrizozo village <sup>13</sup> .....	1,889	1,457	1,171
Prec. 18, Anthony.....	1,537	1,502	1,321	Prec. 17, Vaughn.....	871	1,135	699	Prec. 16, Ancho <sup>13</sup> .....	181	188	200
Prec. 19, Rincon.....	652	793	658	Vaughn village (part).....	860	988	822	Prec. 18, Lon <sup>12</sup> .....	77	114	213
Prec. 20, Las Cruces <sup>6</sup> .....	8,749	5,974	3,791	Prec. 20, Puerto.....	94	120	201	Prec. 19, White Mountain.....	1,102	602	—
Las Cruces city (part) <sup>6</sup> .....	2,882	5,197	3,409	Prec. 21, East Vaughn <sup>1</sup> .....	592	384	501	Ruidoso village <sup>12</sup> .....	506		
Prec. 21, San Ysidro.....	735	731	765	Vaughn village (part).....	496	349	346	Prec. 21, San Patricio <sup>13</sup> .....	406		
Prec. 22, Garfield.....	621	670	552	Prec. 22, Dahlia.....	123	171	158	<b>(3) Los Alamos County</b> .....	<b>10,476</b>		
Prec. 23, Fairacres.....	716	664	135	Prec. 24, Pastura.....	119	283	341	Los Alamos (uninc.).....	9,834		
Prec. 24, Vado.....	337	296	—	Prec. 25, Longview.....	48						
Prec. 25, Brazito.....	706	524	—	Prec. 26, Mesquite.....	504	1,016	570				
Prec. 26, Gundaluce.....	88	160	—	Prec. 27, Las Cruces <sup>6</sup> .....	567	705	304				
Prec. 27, Longview.....	48	55	—	Prec. 28, Solano <sup>10</sup> .....	149	209					
Prec. 28, Mesquite.....	552	588	—	Prec. 29, Artesia <sup>1</sup> .....							
Prec. 29, Las Cruces <sup>6</sup> .....	3,501	1,927	—								
Las Cruces city (part) <sup>6</sup> .....	3,086	1,643	—								

<sup>1</sup> COLFAX.—For footnote, see preceding page.<sup>2</sup> CURRY.—Clovis city annexed parts of precinct 1 in 1941, 1947, and 1950, and part of precinct 9 in 1947. Part of precinct 7 annexed to precinct 12 in 1942. Precinct 8, Rosedale, returned in 1948 as Hollens and part of precinct 11, Bellview, annexed in 1942. Precinct 12, Broadview, returned in 1948 as Boney, and parts of precincts 7 and 11 annexed in 1942.<sup>3</sup> DE BACA.—Precinct 4, Canton, annexed to precinct 2 in 1948. Precinct 7, Locust Grove, annexed to precinct 5 in 1948. Precinct 13 annexed precincts 12, Buchanan, in 1941; 11, Guadalupe, in 1945; and 8, Ricardo, in 1948.<sup>4</sup> DONA ANA.—Parts of precinct 12 annexed to Hatch village in 1947 and 1949. Las Cruces city returned in 1940 as a town; and the city annexed parts of precinct 20 in 1948 and 1949, and part of precinct 29 in 1947.<sup>5</sup> EDWDY.—Carlsbad city annexed parts of precinct 1 in 1948, 1949, and 1950. Loving village incorporated in 1945. Artesia city annexed parts of precinct 6 in 1940, and in every year, 1945 through 1950. Part of precinct 9 taken to form precinct 12 in 1945.<sup>6</sup> GRANT.—Central town incorporated in 1947. Silver City town annexed parts of precinct 3 in 1949 and 1950.<sup>7</sup> GUADALUPE.—Santa Rosa town returned in 1940 as a village. Annexations: precinct 13, Haile, to precinct 12 and precinct 25, Sombrio, to precinct 15, in 1948; precinct 21, Duoro, to precinct 22 in 1945.<sup>8</sup> HARDING.—Precincts 1 and 2 annexed precinct 13 in 1944. Precincts 3A and 3B organized from precinct 3, Roy, in 1944.<sup>9</sup> HIDALGO.—Lordsburg city returned in 1940 as a village. Precinct 7 annexed precinct 6, Middle Animas, in 1948.<sup>10</sup> LEA.—County partially redistricted since 1940; comparative figures given wherever possible. Tatum village incorporated in 1948. Eunice city returned in 1940 as a town. Jal city returned in 1940 as a village and part of precinct 15 annexed in 1950. Parts of precinct 18 annexed to Hobbs city since 1940.<sup>11</sup> LINCOLN.—Part of precinct 2 taken to form precinct 21 in 1940. Annexations: precinct 17, Spindale, to precinct 6; precinct 5, Rabenton, to precinct 8; precinct 15, Oscuro, to precinct 14; precinct 7, Jicarilla, to precinct 16; precinct 20, Ramon, to precinct 18 in 1944. Precinct 18, Lon, returned in 1940 as Joneta. Green Tree and Corona villages incorporated in 1947. Ruidoso village incorporated in 1945.<sup>12</sup> LOS ALAMOS.—County organized in 1949 from parts of Sandoval and Santa Fe Counties.

## NUMBER OF INHABITANTS

Table 6.—POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930 TO 1950—Con.

County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930
(3) Luna County	8,753	6,457	6,247	Quay County—Con.				Roosevelt County—Con.			
Prec. 1, Domingo <sup>14</sup>	7,467	5,241	4,682	Prec. 4, Obor	61	164	214	Prec. 16, Inez	163	200	180
Domingo village <sup>14</sup>	5,672	3,608	3,577	Prec. 5, Nara Visa	239	351	530	Prec. 22, Perry	110	162	178
Prec. 2, Old Town	73	126	176	Prec. 6, Porter	338	409	338	Prec. 24, New Hope	234	313	250
Prec. 3, Florida	59	140	24	Prec. 7, Prost <sup>15</sup>	87	134	190	Prec. 28, Lingo	169	275	
Prec. 4, Myndus	276	204	476	Prec. 8, Endeo <sup>16</sup>	187	237	350	Prec. 29, Kenna	88	105	133
Columbus village	400	453	555	Prec. 9, San Jon	698	707	541	Prec. 30, Richland	87	218	197
Sunshine village	251	285	391	Prec. 10, Norton <sup>17</sup>	60	133	176	Prec. 31, Rocklake	58	110	107
Prec. 6, Sunshine <sup>14</sup>	488	233	223	Prec. 11, Lloyd	115	95	112				
				Prec. 12, Quay	129	203	273				
(1A) McKinley County	27,451	23,641	20,643	Rio Arriba County	24,997	25,352	21,381	(B) Sandoval County <sup>18</sup>	12,438	13,898	11,144
Prec. 1, Mentimoro	1,375	916	630	Prec. 13, Montoya	92	100	152	Prec. 1, Bernalillo	616	122	2,213
Prec. 3, Gallup <sup>19</sup>	4,045	4,178	3,534	Prec. 14, Ima	19	65	82	Bernalillo town (part) <sup>20</sup>	304		
Gallup town (part) <sup>18</sup>	4,117	5,221	2,902	Prec. 15, Orton	90	131	90	Prec. 2, Sandoval	1,193	817	596
Prec. 4, Gallup <sup>19</sup>	5,234	4,165	3,406	Prec. 16, House	404	460	444	Prec. 3, Ojo del Padre <sup>21</sup>	119	210	178
Gallup town (part) <sup>18</sup>	4,070	3,820	3,000	Prec. 17, McAlister	220	273	242	Prec. 4, Cabezon	403	412	236
Prec. 6, Wingate	966	880	461	Prec. 18, Jordan	174	181	237	Prec. 5, Gonzalitos	388		
Prec. 7, Thoreau <sup>14</sup>	2,514	2,412	1,515	Prec. 19, Forrest <sup>18</sup>	443	607	607	Prec. 6, Cuba	1,122	1,053	841
Prec. 9, Raftah	410	502	1,137	Prec. 20, Wheatland <sup>14</sup>	220	208	263	Prec. 7, La Jara	682		
Prec. 10, Zuni	2,712	2,120	1,730				Prec. 8, San Ysidro	418	493	414	
Zuni Pueblo (uninc.)	2,603						Prec. 9, Canyon <sup>22</sup>	221	254	172	
Prec. 11, Rehoboth	1,030	370	378	(B) Rio Arriba County	24,997	25,352	21,381				
Prec. 13, Hatchet	3,601	3,392	2,104	Prec. 1, Dixon	1,502	1,507	1,000	Prec. 10, Jemez Springs	219		
Prec. 14, Crown Point <sup>14</sup>	2,452	766	523	Prec. 2, Alcalde	793	749		Prec. 11, Pena Blanca	2,036		
Prec. 17, Allison <sup>14</sup>	153	94	534	Prec. 3, Rio de Chama	554	510		Santo Domingo Pueblo (uninc.)	1,169		
Gallup town (part) <sup>18</sup>	46			Prec. 4, Chimayo (Arriba)	621	386		Prec. 12, Algodones	1,073		
Prec. 18, McGahey <sup>14</sup>	201	325	12	Prec. 5, Truchas	672	694		Prec. 13, Placitas <sup>23</sup>	12	281	
Prec. 20, Cousins	1,205	1,263	539	Prec. 6, Cordova	409	427		Prec. 14, Vallecitos <sup>24</sup>	1,204	1,029	
Prec. 22, Gamarco <sup>14</sup>	465	664	1,221	Prec. 7, San Jose	1,098	881		Prec. 15, Bernalillo <sup>25</sup>	1,391	1,081	
Prec. 23, Divide	318	102	320	Prec. 8, Chamita	934	1,184		Prec. 16, Bernalillo <sup>25</sup>	1,341	2,184	
Mora County	8,720	10,981	10,322	Prec. 9, Ojo Caliente	456	558		Bernalillo town (part) <sup>25</sup>	419		
Prec. 1, Mora	1,167	1,332		Prec. 10, El Rito	753	707					
Prec. 2, Cleveland	714	776		Prec. 11, Abiquiu	621	625		(C) San Juan County	18,292	17,115	14,701
Prec. 3, Guadalupita	412	523		Prec. 12, Nutrias	199	222		Prec. 1, Pino River	131		
Prec. 4, Shoemaker	56	131	178	Prec. 13, Potos	362	421		Prec. 2A, Aztec <sup>26</sup>	744		
Prec. 5, La Cueva	289	425		Prec. 14, Vallecitos	520	549		Aztec town (part) <sup>27</sup>	351		
Prec. 6, Ledoux	344	533		Prec. 15, Los Pinos	150	417		Prec. 2B, Aztec <sup>26</sup>	1,011		
Prec. 7, Colondrinas	126	207		Prec. 16, Cañon	518	860		Aztec town (part) <sup>27</sup>	664		
Prec. 8, Ocate	556	703		Prec. 17, Tierra Amarilla	1,115	1,493	1,097	Prec. 3, La Plata	231	308	335
Prec. 9, Holman	635	805		Prec. 18, Park View	656	879	862	Prec. 4, Fruitland	437	511	455
Prec. 10, Lucero	59	184		Prec. 19, Chama	1,044	976	743	Prec. 5, Southeast Farmington <sup>28</sup>	1,495	598	430
Prec. 11, Tiptonville	87	135		Prec. 20, Coyote	614	672		Farmington town (part) <sup>28</sup>	1,224	1,291	1,407
Prec. 12, Wagon Mound	1,334	1,230		Prec. 21, Lumberton	464	604	685	Prec. 7, Largo <sup>29</sup>	152	605	317
Wagon Mound village	1,120	979	852	Prec. 22, Rosa	129	157		Prec. 8, Flora Vista <sup>29</sup>	337	467	384
Prec. 13, Armenta	75	195	307	Prec. 23, Youngsville	173	286		Prec. 9, Blanco <sup>29</sup>	778	934	1,505
Prec. 14, Rainsville	372	467		Prec. 24, Gallina	655	475		Prec. 10, Cedar Hill	272	308	278
Prec. 15, Chacon	556	607		Prec. 25, Velarde	803	888		Prec. 11, Waterlow	274	274	271
Prec. 16, Abuelo	193	204		Prec. 26, Ranchitos	1,548	700		Prec. 12, Southwest Farmington <sup>29</sup>	1,095	830	1,328
Prec. 17, Carmen	266	379		Prec. 27, Tusas	29	110		Farmington town (part) <sup>29</sup>	716	646	920
Prec. 18, Cordillera	313	295		Prec. 28, Espanola	1,876	1,434		Prec. 13, Shiprock	3,109	2,305	2,131
Prec. 19, Turquillo	266	409		Prec. 29, El Vado	23	71	85	Prec. 14, Toadlena	4,037	4,464	3,663
Prec. 20, Watrous	256	333		Prec. 30, Ojo Sarco	227	279		Prec. 15, Northeast Farmington <sup>29</sup>	1,511	904	
Prec. 21, Gascon	56	120		Prec. 31, La Madera	232	342		Farmington town (part) <sup>29</sup>	1,220	663	
Prec. 22, Optimo	78	104	244	Prec. 32, Monero	105	366		Prec. 16, Northwest Farmington <sup>29</sup>	1,303	655	
Prec. 23, Narancos	71	108		Prec. 33, San Pedro	1,256	619		Farmington town (part) <sup>29</sup>	1,206	655	
Prec. 24, Nolan	80	204	103	Prec. 34, Haynes	44	72		Prec. 17, San Antonio <sup>29</sup>	71	66	
Prec. 25, Ojo Feliz	267	300		Prec. 35, Governorado	34	247					
Prec. 26, Buena Esperanza	63	86		Prec. 36, Skarda	93	126	118				
Otero County	14,909	10,622	9,779	Prec. 37, Tapelcitas	184	342					
Prec. 1, Alamogordo <sup>14</sup>	9,131	4,367	3,224	Prec. 38, Dulce	559	506					
Alamogordo town <sup>14</sup>	6,783	3,960	3,090	Prec. 39, Lindirth	225	401					
Prec. 2, La Luz	282	288	146	Prec. 40, Chimayo (Abajo)	712	453					
Prec. 3, Tularosa	2,006	1,032	1,800	Prec. 41, Guique	137	210					
Tularosa village	1,618	1,446	1,106	Prec. 42, Rutherford	116	65					
Prec. 4, Three Rivers	268	253	362	Prec. 43, Los Vigiles	437	613					
Prec. 5, Bent <sup>14</sup>	1,037	822	729	Prec. 45, Cebolla	405	488					
Prec. 6, High Rolls	308	274	524	Prec. 46, Canones	170	166					
Prec. 7, Weed <sup>14</sup>	564	349	379	Prec. 47, Costilla	57	162					
Prec. 8, Mayhill <sup>14</sup>	367	617	309	Prec. 48, Balance of county <sup>14</sup>	496						
Prec. 9, Ormogrande	190	109	268	(D) Roosevelt County	16,409	14,549	11,109				
Prec. 10, Cloudercroft <sup>14</sup>	452	917	1,215	Prec. 1, Portales <sup>29</sup>	11,113	7,905					
Cloudcroft village <sup>14</sup>	251			Prec. 2, Portales <sup>29</sup>	8,112	8,103	\$,419				
Prec. 14, Lulu <sup>14</sup>	136	123	25	Prec. 2, Elda	1,003	1,162					
Prec. 15, Pinon	80	151	129	Prec. 3, Bethel	430	530	325				
Quay County	13,971	12,111	10,828	Prec. 4, Floyd <sup>29</sup>	650	655					
Prec. 1, Tucumcari <sup>14</sup>	9,515	6,691	4,649	Prec. 5, Tolar	827	707					
Tucumcari city <sup>14</sup>	8,419	6,184	4,144	Prec. 6, Bluff	59	95					
Prec. 2, Hudson	278	205	173	Prec. 7, Arch	283	368					
Prec. 3, Logan	612	549	674	Prec. 9, Minesand	127	210	200				

<sup>11</sup> LUNA.—Part of precinct 1 annexed to Domingo village in 1948. Precinct 6, Sunshine, returned in 1940 as Hondale.<sup>14</sup> MCKINLEY.—Gallup town annexed parts of precincts 3, 4, and 17 in 1945, and parts of precinct 4 in 1947 and 1949. Precinct 15, Rancho de la punta, annexed to precincts 7 and 14 in 1942. Precinct 10, Page, annexed to precinct 18, and precincts 2, Gibson, and 12, Navajo, annexed to precinct 22 in 1944.<sup>15</sup> OTERO.—Alamogordo town annexed part of precinct 1 in 1940. Cloudercroft village incorporated in 1948. Annexations: precinct 13, Valmont, to precinct 1 in 1948; part of precinct 10 to precinct 5 since 1940; precinct 11, Avis, to precinct 7 in 1940; precinct 12, Marcia, and part of precinct 8 to precinct 10 in 1943 and since 1940, respectively; precinct 12, Clinegar, to precinct 14 in 1940.<sup>16</sup> QUAY.—Tucumcari city annexed parts of precinct 1 in 1946 and 1948. San Jon village incorporated in 1946. Annexations: part of precinct 7 to precinct 8 in 1940; part of precinct 19 to precinct 10 in 1948; precinct 21, Plain, to precincts 19 and 20 in 1945.<sup>17</sup> RIO ARIBA.—Balance of county represents the area shown in 1940 as Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, and precinct 39, Rio del Oso, disorganized in 1940. Annexations: precinct 1, San Gerónimo, to precinct 14 in 1947 and 1949. Annexations: precinct 1 in 1947 and 1949. Annexations: precinct 1, Red Lake, and part of precinct 15 to precinct 12 in 1946 and 1947, respectively.<sup>18</sup> SANDOVAL.—Part of county taken to form part of Los Alamos County in 1949. Bernalillo town incorporated in 1948. County partially redistricted since 1940; comparative figures shown wherever possible. Precinct 3, Ojo del Padre, changed from Casa Salazar in 1940. Precinct 9, Canyon, returned in 1940 as Cañon do Jerez. Numbers of precincts changed in 1949: 10 to 13, 19 to 14, 23 to 16, and 24 to 10.<sup>19</sup> SAN JUAN.—Precincts 2A and 2B organized from precinct 2, Aztec, prior to 1940 but returned separately in 1940. Aztec town returned as a village in 1940. Annexations: part of precincts 5, 12, 15, and 16 to Farmington town in 1947; part of precinct 8 to precinct 2A in 1945; part of precinct 9 to precinct 6 in 1942; part of precinct 7 to precinct 9 in 1946.<sup>20</sup> SAN MIGUEL.—Portales city annexed parts of precinct 1 in 1947 and 1949. Annexations: precinct 8, Mesa, to precinct 4 in 1943; precinct 17, Red Lake, to precinct 10 in 1944; precinct 18, San Lorenzo, to precinct 21; precinct 41, Canon Largo, to precinct 22; precinct 18, San Lorenzo, to precinct 30; precinct 20, Los Alamos, to precinct 46; precinct 19, McKinley, to precinct 50; precinct 48, Cherrydale, to precinct 53; precinct 49, Mesa Rica, to precinct 65, in 1944.

## NEW MEXICO

Table 6.—POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930 TO 1950—Con.

County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930
<b>San Miguel County—Con.</b>				<b>Santa Fe County—Con.</b>				<b>Taos County—Con.</b>			
Prec. 22, Sabinozo <sup>n</sup>	152	202	69	Prec. 32, Santa Fe.	5,140	2,727		Prec. 22, Vadito.	316	324	
Prec. 23, San Jose.	321	613	856	Santa Fe city (part).	5,130	2,727		Prec. 23, San Cristobal.	210	304	
Prec. 24, La Lienbre.	14	105	122	Prec. 33, Santa Fe.	1,564	1,653		Prec. 24, Trampas.	125	125	
Prec. 25, Peña Blanca.	67	26	152	Santa Fe city (part).	1,664	1,653		Prec. 25, Rodarte.	618	722	
Prec. 27, San Pablo.	93	134	177	<b>Sierra County—Con.</b>	7,186	6,962	5,154	Prec. 26, Sunshine Valley.	47	50	
Prec. 28, Chavez.	188	367	455	Prec. 1, Lake Valley.	63	147	192	Prec. 27, El Valle.	118	132	
Prec. 29, East Las Vegas.	7,494	5,941	4,719	Prec. 2, Hillsboro.	216	436		Prec. 28, Canon de Taos.	1,243	1,465	546
<i>Las Vegas city.</i>	7,494	5,941	4,719	Prec. 3, Kingston.	63	120	76	Taos town (part).	544		
Prec. 30, Canon de Manueilitas.	106	150	152	Prec. 4, Las Palomas.	140	199		Prec. 29, Rio Lucio.	475	405	
Prec. 31, Puertecito <sup>n</sup> .	175	324	247	Prec. 5, Cuchillo.	151	194	269	Prec. 30, Colonias.	92	139	
Prec. 32, El Pueblo <sup>n</sup> .	109	306	272	Prec. 6, Hot Springs <sup>n</sup> .	4,888	3,676	1,845	<b>Torrance County—Con.</b>	8,012	11,026	9,269
Prec. 33, Los Vigiles.	656	261	226	Truth or Consequences city <sup>n</sup> .	4,663	2,940	1,336	Prec. 1, Tajique.	290	373	325
Prec. 34, San Isidro.	285	262	237	Prec. 7, Monticello.	235	151		Prec. 2, Torreon.	519	779	610
Prec. 35, Las Gallinas.	249	374	229	Prec. 10, Winston.	241	422		Prec. 3, Manzano.	434	812	708
Prec. 36, San Pedro <sup>n</sup> .	94	153	144	Prec. 12, Engle.	238	228		Prec. 4, Cienega.	84	210	241
Prec. 37, El Cerrito.	54	136	118	Prec. 14, Derry.	302	355	274	Prec. 5, Punta.	215	414	393
Prec. 38, Renconia.	30	171		Prec. 15, Arrey.	473	550		Prec. 6, Willard.	469	742	760
Prec. 39, Tocotitito.	104	168	192	Prec. 16, Caballo.	156	164		Willard village.	296	402	482
Prec. 40, Bernal.	241	272	284	<b>Socorro County—Con.</b>	9,670	11,422	9,611	Prec. 7A, Estancia.	663	569	
Prec. 42, Romeroville <sup>n</sup> .	215	175	130	Prec. 7B, Estancia.	628	420		Estancia town (part).	541	409	
Prec. 43, San Agustin.	109	189	165	Prec. 7C, Estancia.	388	248		Estancia town (part).	388	248	
Prec. 44, Glitos Frios.	71	153	188	Prec. 1, Socorro <sup>n</sup> .	3,524	2,909	1,815	<b>Torrence County—Con.</b>	8,012	11,026	9,269
Prec. 46, Emplazado <sup>n</sup> .	167	161	131	Socorro city (part).	5,474	2,909	1,815	Prec. 8, Mortarity.	635	502	396
Prec. 47, Hot Springs.	85	198	234	Prec. 2, Lemitar.	354	542	436	Prec. 9, Palma.	164	317	164
Prec. 48, Trementina.	409	526	667	Prec. 3, Polvadera.	295	505	347	Prec. 10, Duran.	221	452	452
Prec. 50, Guadalupe <sup>n</sup> .	170	202	199	Prec. 4, Sabinol.	226	366	282	Prec. 11, Pinos Wells.	99	173	128
Prec. 51, San Ignacio.	136	153	178	Prec. 5, La Joya.	206	282	418	Prec. 12, Encino <sup>n</sup> .	490	764	402
Prec. 52, Las Colonias.	172	199	243	Prec. 6, Scholle.	65	148		Encino village.	408	662	
Prec. 53, Encinalosa <sup>n</sup> .	86	125	106	Prec. 7, San Antonio.	419	700	575	Prec. 13, Abo.	335	424	318
Prec. 54, Lovato.	75	116	290	Prec. 11, Kelly.	32	101	224	Prec. 14, Lucy.	20	37	95
Prec. 55, Ribera.	231	303	327	Prec. 12, Magdalena.	1,468	1,420	1,470	Prec. 15A, Mountainair <sup>n</sup> .	950	1,001	
Prec. 56, Gonzales.	267	267		Magdalena village.	1,297	1,525	1,571	Mountainair town (part).	874	817	
Prec. 57, Trujillo.	266	333		<b>Santa Fe County—Con.</b>	38,153	30,826	19,567	<b>Torrence County—Con.</b>	8,012	11,026	9,269
Prec. 58, Santa Ana.	49	78	119	Prec. 13, San Marcial.	38	90	235	Prec. 15B, Mountainair <sup>n</sup> .	639	724	
Prec. 59, Aurora.	93	155	113	Prec. 15, Clyde.	62	59	162	Mountainair town (part).	544	660	
Prec. 60, Rio de Mora.	98	349	312	Prec. 16, San Juan.	301	513	418	Prec. 16, McIntosh.	189	184	167
Prec. 62, Ojo de Los Montoyas.	90	118	131	Prec. 21, Luis Lopez.	185	318	162	Prec. 17, Ewing.	140	226	381
Prec. 64, Fulton.	58	82		Prec. 24, Socorro <sup>n</sup> .	952	803	243	Prec. 18, Cedarvale.	136	185	245
Prec. 65, Conchas Dam <sup>n</sup> .	188	335		Socorro city (part).	860	823	243	Prec. 19, Lucero.	111	367	222
Prec. 66, Mosquero village (part).	16	57		Prec. 25, San Pedro.	23	124	152	Prec. 20, Varney.	105	182	225
Prec. 66, Gallegos <sup>n</sup> .	221			Prec. 27, San Antonio.	116	7	9	Prec. 21, Wilson.	237	449	547
<b>Santa Fe County—Con.</b>	38,153	30,826	19,567	Prec. 28, San Acacia.	208	274	216	Prec. 22, Progresso.	83	168	139
Prec. 1, Pojoaque.	857	596	539	Prec. 30, Escondida.	77	387	225	Prec. 24, Federal.	99	190	256
Prec. 2, Tesuque.	732	542	424	<b>Taos County—Con.</b>	17,146	18,528	14,394	Prec. 25, Roosevelt.	46	149	
Prec. 3, Santa Fe.	3,463	2,591	1,798	Prec. 31, Santa Rita.	386	440	392	Prec. 26, Gran Quivira.	78	113	
Santa Fe city (part).	3,406	2,639	1,721	Prec. 33, Hansburg.	20	69	90	<b>Union County—Con.</b>	7,372	9,095	11,036
Prec. 4, Santa Fe.	3,419	2,392	2,539	Prec. 35, Ranchos de La Joya.	161	200	269	Prec. 2, Wagoner.	107	101	178
Santa Fe city (part).	5,419	2,392	2,539	Prec. 38, Cherryville.	68	92	112	Prec. 3, Folsom.	282	448	
Prec. 5, Agua Fria.	954	738	403	Prec. 39, Las Nutrias.	177	331	198	Folsom village.	206	360	
Prec. 6, Chanequa.	146	307	292	Prec. 41, Carthage.	47	121	32	Prec. 4, Sofia.	120	259	
Prec. 7, Carrillos <sup>n</sup> .	107	691	765	Prec. 48, Rayo.	71	113	67	Prec. 5, Clapham.	121	161	
Prec. 8, Galisteo <sup>n</sup> .	157	231	282	Prec. 49, Claunch.	155	335	261	Prec. 8, Clayton <sup>n</sup> .	951	980	861
Prec. 9, San Ildefonso.	1,649	787	676	Prec. 50, White Lake.	4	7		Clayton town (part).	757	744	
Prec. 10, Stanley.	310	352	219	<b>Taos County—Con.</b>	1,320	1,804	1,847	Prec. 10, Clayton <sup>n</sup> .	729	687	616
Prec. 11, Golden.	64	148		Taos town (part).	411	965		Clayton town (part).	694	580	474
Prec. 12, Lamy.	186	384	329	Prec. 2, Los Cordobas.	729	727		Prec. 11A, Clayton <sup>n</sup> .	865	885	
Prec. 13, Glorieta.	731	695	381	Ranchos de Taos (uninc.) (pt.).	2,111	1,361		Clayton town (part).	842	871	
Prec. 14, Chimayo.	459	448		Prec. 4, Prado.	577			Prec. 11B, Clayton <sup>n</sup> .	884	876	
Prec. 15, Upper Santa Cruz.	516	340	297	Prec. 14, Taos.	1,459	1,396		Clayton town (part).	974	722	
Prec. 16, Lower Santa Cruz.	992	1,114		Taos town (part).	263			Prec. 14, Clayton <sup>n</sup> .	404	391	
Prec. 17, Santa Fe.	2,351	1,256	1,017	Prec. 5, Arroyo Seco.	789	779		Clayton town (part).	548	271	265
Santa Fe city (part).	2,351	1,256	1,017	Prec. 6, Arroyo Hondo.	478	541	519	Prec. 15, Barney.	106	268	
Prec. 18, Santa Fe.	3,000	2,759	1,684	Prec. 7, Questa.	1,119	1,445		Prec. 16, Moses.	60	162	
Santa Fe city (part).	5,000	2,759	1,684	Prec. 8, Llano.	498	619		Prec. 17, Guy.	87	193	
Prec. 19, Madrid.	676	1056	1,116	Prec. 9, Chamisal.	648	621		Prec. 18, Amistad.	202	201	
Prec. 20, San Pedro.	108	239		Prec. 10, Penasco.	713	627		Prec. 19, Hayden.	114	162	
Prec. 21, Otto.	170	304	128	Prec. 11, Cerro.	618	630		Prec. 20, Mount Dora.	128	184	319
Prec. 22, Nambe.	989	879	534	Prec. 12, Costilla.	736	983	805	Prec. 25, Sedan.	348	451	
Prec. 23, Rio en Medio.	120	172	161	Prec. 13, Ojo Caliente.	98	134		Prec. 27, Granville.	376	442	
Prec. 25, Cow Springs.	19	111	67	Prec. 14, Amalia.	516	558		Prec. 31, Thomas.	73	119	
Prec. 26, Valdez <sup>n</sup> .	2	124	110	Prec. 15, Tres Piedras.	129	232	317	Prec. 32, Pasamonte.	122	191	
Prec. 28, Santa Fe.	2,765	2,500	1,676	Prec. 16, Cleneaguilla.	155	180		Prec. 33, Capulin.	89	180	
Santa Fe city (part).	2,765	2,500	1,676	Prec. 17, Carson.	24	112		Prec. 34, Valley.	242	341	
Prec. 29, Santa Fe.	4,534	3,986	2,539	Prec. 18, Red River.	121	222		Prec. 35, Gladstone.	92	46	71
Santa Fe city (part).	4,534	3,986	2,539	Prec. 19, Taos.	1,021	968		Prec. 36, Seneca.	155	305	
Prec. 30, Cundijo.	145	120		Kanabos de Taos (uninc.) (pt.).	859			Prec. 40, Des Moines.	424	605	
Prec. 31, Santa Fe.	1,819	513		Prec. 20, Valdez.	434	483		Des Moines village.	222	222	222
Santa Fe city (part).	1,819	615		Prec. 21, Placita.	177	270		Prec. 41, Des Moines.	424	605	
									222	222	222

<sup>n</sup> SAN MIGUEL.—For footnote, see preceding page.<sup>n</sup> SANTA FE.—Part of precinct 20 taken to form part of Los Alamos County in 1949. Precincts 27, Waldo, and 21, Kennedy, annexed to precincts 7 and 8, respectively, in 1940.<sup>n</sup> SIERRA.—Truth or Consequences city changed from Ilot Springs city in 1950; returned as a town in 1940; parts of precinct 6 annexed to the city in 1946 and 1949.<sup>n</sup> SOCORRO.—Precincts 1 and 24 returned as coextensive with Socorro city in 1940.<sup>n</sup> TACOS.—Taos town returned as a village in precinct 1 only in 1940.<sup>n</sup> TORRANCE.—Precinct 23, Derramadero, annexed to precinct 12 in 1948. Mountainair town returned in 1940 as a village, and parts of precincts 15A and 15B annexed in 1947.<sup>n</sup> UNION.—Part of precinct 8 annexed to precinct 14 in 1944. Precinct 12, Apache, annexed to precinct 10 in 1940. Parts of precincts 11A and 11B annexed to Clayton town in 1949.

# NUMBER OF INHABITANTS

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Table 6.—POPULATION OF COUNTIES BY MINOR CIVIL DIVISIONS: 1930 TO 1950—Con.

County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930	County and minor civil division	1950	1940	1930
(IA) Valencia County.....	22,481	20,245	16,186	Valencia County—Con.				Valencia County—Con.			
Prec. 1, Los Lunas.....	1,445	1,080	890	Prec. 7, Marquez <sup>10</sup> .....	99	127	124	Prec. 20, Rinconada.....	567	492	386
Los Lunas village.....	889	686	515	Prec. 8, San Mateo.....	287	450	383	Prec. 21, Los Trujillos.....	372	744	672
Prec. 2, Belen.....	2,768	2,091	1,203	Prec. 9, Los Lentos.....	354	50	225	Jarales (uninc.) (part).....	372	—	—
Belen town (part) <sup>10</sup> .....	1,048	1,463	890	Prec. 10, Peralta.....	913	609	770	Prec. 22, El Cerro.....	421	452	300
Prec. 3, Jarales.....	1,023	1,030	800	Prec. 11, Valencia.....	814	1,289	453	Prec. 23, Grants.....	2,445	1,543	840
Jarales (uninc.) (part).....	827	—	—	Prec. 12, Adelino.....	623	633	492	Grants town <sup>10</sup> .....	2,261	—	—
Prec. 4, Belen.....	3,317	1,750	1,180	Prec. 13, Casa Colorada.....	226	242	281	Prec. 24, Juruloso.....	226	328	493
Belen town (part) <sup>10</sup> .....	2,663	1,675	1,120	Prec. 14, San Lorenzo <sup>10</sup> .....	678	335	410	Prec. 26, Fence Lake <sup>10</sup> .....	269	218	—
Prec. 5, Cubero <sup>10</sup> .....	2,498	2,023	1,310	Prec. 16, Bluewater.....	371	263	325	Prec. 27, Los Chavos.....	638	624	523
Prec. 6, Seboyeta.....	776	1,086	648	Prec. 17, San Rafael <sup>10</sup> .....	637	610	1,059	Prec. 28, Bosque.....	299	437	269
				Prec. 18, Luna.....	100	21	483	Prec. 29, Tome.....	386	410	348

<sup>10</sup> VALENCIA.—Belen town returned in 1940 as a village. Precinct 7, Marquez, returned in 1940 as Juan Tafoya. Grants town incorporated in 1941. Annexations: precinct 19, Laguna, to precinct 5 in 1944; precinct 30, Ketner, to precinct 14 in 1942; precinct 26, Trechado, to precinct 26 in 1944; precinct 15, San Rafael, to precinct 17, San Rafael, prior to 1940, but returned separately in 1940.

Table 7.—POPULATION OF ALL INCORPORATED PLACES AND OF UNINCORPORATED PLACES OF 1,000 OR MORE: 1950 AND 1940

[“Uninc.” designates an unincorporated place. Figures for 1940 not available for unincorporated places and places incorporated since April 1, 1940. For 1930 population of incorporated places, see table 6]

City, town, village, or unincorporated place	County	1950	1940	City, town, village, or unincorporated place	County	1950	1940	City, town, village, or unincorporated place	County	1950	1940
Alameda (uninc.).....	Bernalillo.....	1,792	3,950	Farmington.....	San Juan.....	3,637	2,161	Mountainair.....	Torrance.....	1,418	1,477
Alamogordo.....	Otero.....	6,783	—	Folsom.....	Union.....	206	360	North Roswell (uninc.).....	Chaves.....	1,239	—
Albuquerque.....	Bernalillo.....	96,815	35,449	Fort Sumner.....	De Baca.....	1,982	1,669	Pecos (uninc.).....	San Miguel.....	1,241	—
Armijo (uninc.).....	Bernalillo.....	4,516	—	Gallup.....	McKinley.....	9,133	7,041	Portales.....	Roosevelt.....	8,112	5,104
Artesia.....	Eddy.....	8,244	4,071	Grady.....	Curry.....	130	237	Ranchos de Taos (uninc.).....	Taos.....	1,386	—
Atsico—Five Points (uninc.).....	Bernalillo.....	7,367	—	Grants.....	Valencia.....	2,251	—	Raton.....	Colfax.....	8,241	7,807
Atzco.....	San Juan.....	885	760	Green Tree.....	Lincoln.....	383	—	Roswell.....	Chaves.....	25,738	13,482
Barelas (uninc.).....	Bernalillo.....	1,846	—	Grenville.....	Union.....	102	143	Roy.....	Harding.....	1,074	1,138
Bayard.....	Grant.....	2,119	764	Hagerman.....	Chaves.....	1,024	854	Ruidoso.....	Lincoln.....	806	—
Belen.....	Valencia.....	4,495	3,038	Hatch.....	Dona Ana.....	1,004	822	San Jon.....	Quay.....	382	—
Bernalillo.....	Sandoval.....	1,922	—	Hobbs.....	Lea.....	13,875	10,619	Santa Fe.....	Santa Fe.....	27,998	20,325
Capitan.....	Lincoln.....	576	932	Hope.....	Eddy.....	186	289	Santa Rita (uninc.).....	Grant.....	2,135	—
Carlsbad.....	Eddy.....	17,976	7,110	Hurley (uninc.).....	Grant.....	2,079	—	Santa Rosa.....	Guadalupe.....	2,199	2,310
Carrizozo.....	Lincoln.....	1,389	1,457	Jal.....	Lea.....	2,047	1,157	Santo Domingo Pueblo (uninc.).....	Sandoval.....	1,169	—
Central.....	Grant.....	1,511	—	Jarales (uninc.).....	Valencia.....	1,199	—	Silver City.....	Grant.....	7,022	5,044
Cimarron.....	Cofair.....	855	744	Lake Arthur.....	Chaves.....	380	279	Socorro.....	Socorro.....	4,334	3,712
Clayton.....	Union.....	3,615	3,188	Las Cruces.....	Dona Ana.....	12,325	8,385	Springer.....	Colfax.....	1,558	1,314
Cloudcroft.....	Otero.....	251	—	Las Vegas city.....	San Miguel.....	7,494	5,941	Taos.....	Taos.....	815	965
Clovis.....	Curry.....	17,318	10,065	Las Vegas town.....	San Miguel.....	6,269	6,421	Tatum.....	Lea.....	688	—
Columbus.....	Luna.....	251	285	Lordsburg.....	Hidalgo.....	3,525	3,101	Texico.....	Curry.....	691	478
Corona.....	Lincoln.....	830	—	Los Alamos (uninc.).....	Los Alamos.....	9,934	—	Truth or Consequences <sup>11</sup> .....	Sierra.....	4,583	2,940
Dawson (uninc.).....	Cofair.....	1,206	—	Los Duranes (uninc.).....	Bernalillo.....	2,873	—	Tucumari.....	Quay.....	8,419	6,194
Deming.....	Luna.....	5,672	3,608	Los Lunas.....	Valencia.....	859	886	Tularosa.....	Otero.....	1,642	1,446
Des Moines.....	Union.....	282	289	Loving.....	Eddy.....	1,487	—	Vaughn.....	Guadalupe.....	1,356	1,331
Dexter.....	Chaves.....	784	734	Lowington.....	Lea.....	3,134	1,916	Virden.....	Hidalgo.....	146	206
Elida.....	Roosevelt.....	430	330	Magdalena.....	Socorro.....	1,297	1,323	Wagon Mound.....	Mora.....	1,120	979
Encino.....	Torrance.....	408	652	Maxwell.....	Colfax.....	404	483	Willard.....	Torrance.....	296	462
Espanola.....	Rio Arriba.....	1,446	643	Mesilla (uninc.).....	Curry.....	936	851	Zuni Pueblo (uninc.).....	McKinley.....	2,563	—
Espanola.....	Torrance.....	916	668	Mosquero.....	Dona Ana.....	1,264	—				
Eunice.....	Lea.....	2,352	1,227		San Miguel.....	583	742				

<sup>11</sup> Truth or Consequences changed from Hot Springs in 1950.

Table 8.—POPULATION OF INCORPORATED PLACES OF 5,000 OR MORE, BY WARDS: 1950

[Other incorporated places of 5,000 or more (Albuquerque, Clovis, Hobbs, and Tucumari cities, and Alamogordo, Gallup, Las Cruces, and Silver City towns) have no wards]

City, town, or village and ward	Population	City, town, or village and ward	Population	City, town, or village and ward	Population	City, town, or village and ward	Population
Artesia city.....	8,244	Las Vegas city.....	7,494	Portales city.....	8,112	Roswell city.....	25,738
Ward 1.....	1,712	Ward A.....	1,026	Ward 1.....	1,291	Ward 1.....	2,720
Ward 2.....	1,094	Ward B.....	1,143	Ward 2.....	4,156	Ward 2.....	6,272
Ward 3.....	2,222	Ward C.....	1,953	Ward 3.....	1,772	Ward 3.....	2,630
Ward 4.....	2,310	Ward D.....	1,345	Ward 4.....	893	Ward 4.....	3,711
Carlsbad city.....	17,975	Ward E.....	954			Ward 5.....	8,405
Ward 1.....	7,010	Ward F.....	1,073				
Ward 2.....	3,332	Las Vegas town.....	6,269	Raton city.....	8,241	Santa Fe city.....	27,998
Ward 3.....	4,301	Ward 1.....	2,053	Ward 1.....	1,874	Ward 1.....	6,171
Ward 4.....	2,432	Ward 2.....	1,049	Ward 2.....	1,640	Ward 2.....	14,912
Deming village.....	5,672	Ward 3.....	1,556	Ward 3.....	2,067	Ward 3.....	3,915
Ward A.....	1,488	Ward 4.....	1,011	Ward 4.....	1,767	Ward 4.....	3,000
Ward B.....	2,150				893		
Ward C.....	1,127						
Ward G.....	901						

(Table 9 of the standard series is omitted as there are no urbanized areas in the State)

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